

## OWEN ELECTED MAYOR BY SMALL MAJORITY

Attorney Defeats P. H. Cashin in  
Tuesday's Contest By Narrow  
Margin of 114

### HAKA WINS TREASURERSHIP

Present Incumbent Defeats C. M.  
Chapman—Three New Men  
Elected Aldermen

"Of course I am gratified at the expression of confidence in me, but I haven't had time to think it over," was Mayor-elect Owen's reply this morning when requested by The Gazette to make a post-election statement. "I am especially pleased," he continued, "because of the fact that I did not conduct a personal campaign. All I can say is that I will give the city of Stevens Point the best there is in me."

Mr. Owen came down to his law office at his usual hour this morning, apparently as unconcerned over the outcome of the election as he would have been had his name not been on the ballot. The returns from the Fourth ward had just been posted when a representative of The Gazette informed him of the result.

By piling up a large vote in five of the six wards of the city, W. F. Owen defeated P. H. Cashin for mayor of Stevens Point on Tuesday by a majority of 114 votes.

Mr. Owen, who has held public office at various times in the past, including that of district attorney and city attorney, entered the field in response to pressure of numerous friends, but at the start let it be known that he would not make a personal effort to secure his election. On the other hand Mr. Cashin, four times mayor of the city and former assemblyman, made a thorough canvass of the city. Mr. Cashin made a surprisingly strong showing in the face of handicaps and the vote shows how near he came to winning a victory.

The campaign all through was cleanly waged and the voters of the city, while apparently satisfied with the result, are not at all backward in giving the defeated candidate credit for a strong fight. All day Tuesday and Tuesday evening, even after re-



Mayor-elect Owen

turns began coming in, there were many who believed that Mr. Cashin would win. However, when incomplete returns from the Fourth ward drifted in, indicating that Mr. Owen had polled more than a hundred votes there, doubt as to the outcome was all but removed.

The vote on the mayoralty by wards follows:

	Cashin	Owen
First	107	186
Second	123	207
Third	103	200
Fourth	331	149
Fifth	118	136
Sixth	79	97
Totals	861	975

Owen's majority 114.

**Haka Is Treasurer**  
John Haka, who took the office of city treasurer on Jan. 1 on appointment to fill out the unexpired term of Frank E. Boyer, resigned, defeated C. M. Chapman for election to that office by 276 votes. Mr. Haka had an advantage in that he had taken the office when the city was sorely in need of a man to begin the annual tax collection. The big vote he polled was, however, one of the big surprises of the election, although it was generally conceded beforehand that he was a probable winner.

The vote on treasurer follows:

	Chapman	Haka
First	142	136
Second	206	131
Third	168	125
Fourth	27	458
Fifth	139	99
Sixth	79	88
Totals	761	1037

Haka's majority 276.

**Three New Aldermen**

Three new men will take their seats in the common council as a result of yesterday's election—G. W. Andrae from the First ward, M. Cassidy from the Second and John N. Welsby from the Third. Aldermen were re-elected in all of the other wards.

The vote on aldermen follows:

First ward—G. W. Andrae 142, W. R. Cook 72, A. Myers 28, Frank J. Plett 49.

Second—M. Cassidy 187, Frank Abb 146.

Third—John N. Welsby 191, F. M. Playman 105.

Fourth—Alois Finkus 305, Frank E. Boyer 110, Joseph Milcharek 65.

Fifth—A. E. Redfield 134, Paul A. Hoffman 107.

Sixth—August Lutz 99, W. J. Dumblenton 71.

The following aldermen hold over: R. K. McDonald, Joseph Schoettel, B. V. Martin, Frank Upowski, L. P. Schuweiler, Robert S. Sparks.

### Two New Supervisors

Supervisors elected are as follows: First ward, G. L. Park; Second, G. K. Mansur; Third, V. P. Atwell; Fourth, Paul Lukasiewicz; Fifth, M. J. Mersch; Sixth, G. D. Aldrich. Messrs. Lukasiewicz and Mersch are the new men.

There were only two contests for supervisor. In the Fifth ward M. J. Mersch defeated J. B. Carpenter by a vote of 130 to 111. In the Sixth G. D. Aldrich won out over O. N. Lewis, 108 to 62. The retirement of Mr. Carpenter from the county board ends more than 30 years of service he has rendered as a member of that body.

### The Other Offices

George L. Rogers was re-elected controller without opposition. L. P. Moen and George S. Gunderson were chosen assessors without a contest. G. L. Park and August Lischinski for justice of the peace and John P. Somers for constable were also without opposition.

All of the offices listed above carry two year terms except that of supervisor, which is for one year.

## PLAN STATE MEETING

Legislative Marketing Committee Recommends Conference on Potato Problems

The special legislative committee created to investigate agricultural conditions arising out of the war filed emergency recommendations with Gov. Philipp Saturday, asking him to call a convention of potato growers, dealers and warehouse dealers at an early date with a view of solving some of the troubles arising out of the potato situation.

The report declares that hearings have been held and that no evidence of hoarding on the part of farmers, dealers, and warehouse men was found. The report says:

"The total yield of potatoes in Wisconsin for the year 1917, according to the figures of the department of agriculture, was 34,998,580 bushels. Based upon these figures, 14,000,000 to 17,500,000 bushels still remain in the hands of the farmers and in the warehouses. Of this amount approximately 12,400,000 to 15,750,000 bushels are in the farmers' hands and approximately 2,000,000 bushels are in the warehouses."

The committee declared that car shortage was one of the principal causes for the present supply of potatoes in the hands of the farmers.

### COUNCIL MEETS TONIGHT

The council will hold its regular monthly meeting this evening, the meeting having been adjourned from last evening owing to the election.

### THE BAND DANCE

Weber's full orchestra will be hosts at a dancing party to be given at the Armory next Tuesday evening, April 9th, when all the popular numbers will be played. The boys are entitled to a liberal patronage and will be pleased to entertain all their friends. Ticket price is 50 cents per couple, with 10 cents additional for extra lady.

### GETS PLACE AT GARY

Claire J. Boursier and family left here this week for Gary, Ind., where the gentleman has accepted a responsible position with the Gary State bank, by which concern he was engaged a few years ago. It is one of the big institutions of that booming city, with deposits of four million dollars. Mr. Boursier has leased his farm near Arnott. They had been residents of this city since last fall, Claire filling a clerical position in the Soo line offices.

### TANNER GETS COMMISSION

Young Stevens Point Business Man Successful in Examination at Cleveland

W. R. Tanner, who came to Stevens Point last fall and established the Tanner Buick Co., has won a second lieutenantcy in the motor transport division of the quartermaster's corps of the army.

Mr. Tanner was at Cleveland, Ohio, ten days ago, when he took and passed the examination for a commission as inspector of motor truck chassis. His commission is expected very soon and he will report for duty next Monday.

On the way back from Cleveland Mr. Tanner stopped at his former home city, Milwaukee, where he underwent a slight operation on his nose. He arrived in Stevens Point Monday morning for a few days' stay.

Mr. Tanner is a mechanic of training and ability and during his short stay here formed many pleasant acquaintances.

## SELECTMEN DEPART FOR OREGON CAMP

Thirty-eight Portage County Drafted Men Leave This Morning For Coast

Several hundred persons gathered at the Soo line station this morning to bid farewell to thirty-eight Portage county drafted men who left on train No. 1 at 9:45 o'clock for Camp Fort Stevens, Oregon.

The men reported at the court house Tuesday afternoon and in the evening about 20 of their number were banqueted by the Rotary club in the library club rooms. After the meal, during which Weber's orchestra played, President R. K. McDonald of the club introduced Prof. F. S. Hyer as the speaker of the evening.

Addressing his remarks to the honor men, whom he said he envied, Mr. Hyer gave a short, but convincing speech, in which he revealed to the men about to take their places in the great American military machine just what it is this country is fighting. He traced the rule of the Hohenzollern family in Germany and its lust for power and, touched upon the efforts of the German government, through the schools of this country and other cunning means, to weaken the American government. He admitted that he as well as hundreds of thousands of other Americans had been hoodwinked by German propaganda, and sounded a note of warning against disloyalty. "It is our business to fight disloyalty wherever we find it," he declared. "We can fight it best by education."

Following Mr. Hyer's address John F. Bacon, Liberty Loan organizer, gave a short patriotic talk and included in his remarks reference to the forthcoming Liberty Loan. The men were given the "run of the city" until morning, when they were ordered to report. The contingent was full of spirit and more men wanted to go than there were places for. This is the first group to be sent west from this county, as hitherto Camp Grant has been the training camp for men from central Wisconsin. There is a feeling prevalent that the men now going west will in the near future be sent to the Philippines to take the place of regulars scheduled for service in France.

Fifty or more men from this county joined the spruce division during the past few months and were sent to Vancouver Barracks, Wash. These were voluntary inductions, however, for special service, not on definite calls.

The list of men who went west today is as follows:

Paul Julius Kreuger, Racine, Wis. Nick Grezinski, Stevens Point, R. 7. Alf Erling Anderson, Stevens Point. Jerome Alois Cieslewicz, Rosholt, R. 1.

Ben Jos. Kostecka, Stevens Point. Nels Edward Lystul, Rosholt. Addison Jerome Quimby, Plainfield. Ben Bruski, Stevens Point, R. 6.

John Jos. Herkowski, Plover, R. 1. Oscar Strand, Rosholt. Joseph Blanka, Chicago.

Theo. Chriske, Stevens Point. Chester Ernest Whitman, Stevens Point.

Frank Nowak, Stevens Point, R. 5. William Wright Felch, Bancroft. John Walter Karch, Custer, R. 1.

Chris John Van Aften, Junction City, R. 2.

Almer James Loberg, Nelsonville. Ernest Carl Parman, Stevens Point. Frank Delbert Prausa, Milladore.

Geo. Leon Spatz, Mosinee, R. 2. Charles Henry Stroik, Stevens Point, R. 2.

Myron L. Norton, Stevens Point, R. 1.

George Louis Hansmann, Stevens Point.

Julian Jablonski, Stevens Point, R. 1.

Myron A. Newman, Stevens Point.

Frank Joe Boushley, Stevens Point.

John L. Riley, Racine.

Frederick W. Hoerter, Stevens Point.

Julius Lake, Dancy.

Harold W. Munchow, Amherst.

Stanley Jagodzinski, Stevens Point, R. 2.

Michael M. Rybicki, Stevens Point.

Clarence M. Aldrich, Amherst.

Bern Vaughn, Almond.

George Alvin Cummings, Bancroft.

Matt Sobczak, Jr., Stevens Point, R. 3.

Fred G. Lohman, Amherst.

### WORK ON DAM RESUMED

Work on the construction of the new Jackson mill dam has been resumed. Seventy men are now at work and within a week or so this number will be greatly increased, probably to about 150. A coffer dam is being constructed on the west side of the river and the pit on this side which was filled with water during the period work was suspended, is being pumped dry.

### LIBERTY LOAN MEETING

Plans for carrying out a successful drive for the third Liberty Loan were discussed at a meeting of the women's committee in Portage county at the Parish House today. The meeting of the women city and county chairmen was called by Mrs. F. H. Patterson, chairman of the Portage county committee, and was preceded by a luncheon at one o'clock. The meeting was addressed by J. R. Piffner, county chairman of the Portage county committee of Milwaukee, who also came here for the occasion to arouse enthusiasm.

## LOOKS LIKE LENROOT DAVIES CHOICE HERE

Republican Candidate For Senator Apparently Elected by Small Plurality

BULLETIN  
3:30 p. m.

(Special to The Gazette)

Milwaukee—Lenroot has carried the state by about 10,000, according to incomplete returns, with Davies running second and Berger third.

Justice Rosenberry has been elected by an overwhelming majority over Charles H. Crownhart. His majority is expected to pass 50,000.

Despite the fact that Mayor D. W. Hoan (socialist) of Milwaukee was re-elected by about 2,000, the non-partisan ticket won all the other offices.

Joseph E. Davies, democratic candidate for United States senator, was the choice of Portage county voters over Irvine L. Lenroot (republican) and Victor Berger (socialist) in Tuesday's election.

On the face of unofficial returns from 24 out of 30 precincts in the county, Davies has a plurality of nearly 800 over Lenroot. Berger ran a poor third.

The 24 precincts accounted for up to 3:30 o'clock this afternoon give Davies 2,542, Lenroot 1,653 and Berger 319. Davies carried the city with 661 votes against 612 for Lenroot and 93 for Berger.

The vote follows:

	Lenroot	Davies	Berger
Almond Vil.	62	31	13
Amherst	133	64	26
Amherst Vil.	92	50	10
Amherst Jet.	17	28	1
Buena Vista	99	85	11
Carson	45	133	24
Eau Claire	68	69	32
Hull	10	168	1
Junction City	24	28	3
Lincoln	92	52	23
Linwood	34	42	28
New Hope	73	47	17
Nelsonville	34	4	0
Plover	117	75	4
Plover Vil.	21	24	1
Sharon	6	289	0
Stockton	37	263	10
First Ward	142	140	12
Second Ward	100	131	24
Third Ward	151	140	6
Fourth Ward	40	442	11
Fifth Ward	100	131	24
Sixth Ward	79	77	16
Totals	1,653	2,542	319

M. B. Rosenberry, for supreme court justice, carried the county by a big majority over Charles H. Crownhart. Twenty-three precincts give Rosenberry 2,559 and Crownhart 1,503.

### TROOP 1 MAN HERE

Thomas Peskie, one of the original Troop 1 men, arrived in the city Sunday on a 30-day furlough. Private Peskie was with the troop at Camp Douglas and Camp MacArthur and, with most of the other members, was transferred to Battery E, 120th Field Artillery. He was taken sick while in Texas with pneumonia and pleurisy on Nov. 6, but was able to accompany the battery to Camp Merritt, N. J., from where the unit embarked for France. On his arrival east, however, he suffered a relapse and was sent to the General hospital in New York on April 19. Despite his long illness Peskie is a booster for the army and regrets that he was not able to go across with his battery. Some of the other members were left behind because of minor ailments, he said.

### NEARLY ONE MILLION

Portage County Called Upon to Raise Big Sum for Third Liberty Loan

The quota for Portage county in the third Liberty Loan, which opens on April 6, which marks the close of America's first year in the war, is \$800,000.

Portage county fell behind its quota on the first and second loan and it will be given an opportunity to redeem itself in the third. The net quota for the county in the forthcoming loan is \$540,000, but to this has been added \$260,000, the amount the county fell behind on the first two loans.

The organization of the county for the new loan is practically completed and it will be complete down to the last school district. Responsibility for the success of the loan has been centered and if hard work will do it the county will go "over the top."

Headquarters are to be established in the Stevens Point postoffice, where a section of the lobby has been fenced off as an office. Banks are giving their hearty co-operation to the work and Chairman Piffner is more than satisfied with the outlook.

A departure from the system that prevailed in the first two loans is the decision to handle all subscriptions through the county committee. Heretofore the banks have handled most of the applications and as a result it was impossible to tell who was doing his share and who was not. Under the new system the committee will have records to show what every person is doing and will be able to map out its campaign accordingly.

### SOCIALIST MAYOR WINS

D. W. Hoan, socialist, was re-elected mayor of Milwaukee Tuesday by an estimated majority of 3,000 over Percy Braman, his non-partisan opponent.

### DR. BIRD DEPARTS

Dr. J. W. Bird left this afternoon for Fort Riley, Kas., to report for intensive training as a captain in the medical corps of the army. Final notice to report came in a telegram last Thursday from Surgeon General Gorgas of Washington.

### HOME TO RECUPERATE

Miss Grace Skinner, supervisor of kindergarten work in the schools of Gilbert, Minn., arrived at her home in this city Tuesday morning to recuperate from a severe attack of pneumonia and pleurisy. Miss Skinner was ill for three weeks before coming home and will be unable to resume her work in less than two weeks.

### ARE UNDER QUARANTINE

A letter from one of the Portage county men in the spruce division of the army at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., is to the effect that, due to the presence of spinal meningitis, some of the men are under quarantine, including several from this county. From this it should not be taken that all of the men are in danger, as the disease is well under control. The men quarantined are not able to send out letters.

## ARE GOING OVERSEAS

Portage County Boys at Camp Grant Anxious to Go Across—Six Have Gone

One thousand Wisconsin men, including the 13 who went from Portage county, have arrived at Camp Grant, Ill., during the past few days as members of the National Army.

A dispatch from the camp states that these men will be utilized to reinforce the depleted ranks of the 341st Infantry, 331st Field Artillery and 331st Machine Gun Battalion. It is anticipated that the newcomers will be transferred to other camps for training as soon as they are fully equipped.

Co. K, 341st Infantry, to which most of the Portage county boys sent to Camp Grant were assigned, has been depleted so much that it now has but 55 men, about half of whom are from this county. Although it is not generally known, six of the Portage county men who belonged to this unit are already in France and more are probably on their way. Those remaining in the company unanimously expressed a wish that they be sent overseas at once. It is believed that they will leave for another camp tonight.

"In Co. K, 341st Infantry, Sergeant Fred N. Aich of Stevens Point is one of the number selected for early transfer to the transportation corps for duty overseas," says a Camp Grant dispatch. "Private Arthur Crushinske of Royalton and Joseph W. Formella of Polonia have been made company buglers."

"Baseball fans within Co. K expect the team representing that company to make a formidable bid for the regimental championship. There is some excellent material within the command, including R. C. Berens of Stevens Point and William A. Anderson of Amherst."

### THE COLLEGE INN

The College Inn is the name of the new restaurant, ice cream parlor and confectionery store soon to be opened by Louis G. Rouskey at 445 Main street. The building has been completely overhauled and new equipment is being installed. It is expected that the formal opening will take place on Saturday of this week.

### CAPT. GOODSSELL RESIGNS

A reorganization of the local State Guard Company, the first of its kind formed in Wisconsin, is foreshadowed in the announcement of the resignation of Myron J. Goodsell as captain. Mr. Goodsell was the leading spirit in the organization of the company and has worked hard for its success ever since. However, he feels unable to continue to give the time necessary to keep the company going and accordingly handed in his resignation, which has not yet been acted upon. Lieut. Arnold B. Spurney and Frank Seguin previously tendered their resignations, so that the company is at present without a commissioned officer.

### DEATH OF SISTER

W. S. and Edward T. Powell returned this morning from Whitewater, where they were called last Thursday night by the sudden death of their sister, Mrs. A. H. Fricker. The deceased would have been 44 years old on May 4th. Her death was due to an attack of apoplexy rendering her unconscious Thursday morning at 11 o'clock and from which she did not recover, dying at 6 o'clock in the evening. The deceased is survived by her husband, who conducts a hardware business in Whitewater, two sons, one of whom is in the quartermaster's corps of the army at Jacksonville, Florida, and one daughter.

## STEVENS POINT WET BY LARGE MAJORITY

Effort to Place City in Dry Column Falls Short of Mark, But Gains Are Made

### AMHERST ROUTS SALOONS

Village, by Vote of 81 to 72, Lines Up With No License Forces—

#### Other Results

Stevens Point remains wet.

By a vote of 1,103 to 732, a majority of 371, the city settled the question in favor of license for another year at least, at Tuesday's election.

The vote was not as close as had been looked for, although there were but few who really believed there was a chance of a dry victory this year. It was believed, however, that the margin for the wets would be under 200 and perhaps as low as 100. The dries waged a strong campaign along educational lines and undoubtedly won many wet votes. In 1915 the wets won in the city by 408 and in 1916 by 559.

The vote for 1918 and 1916 is given below:

	1918	1916
Wet	152	133
Dry	127	111
Second	179	167
Third	132	167
Fourth	392	91
Fifth	144	103
Sixth	104	71
Totals	1,103	732

### Amherst Goes Dry

The village of Amherst voted dry by 9 votes, 81 being cast against license and 72 for. Four saloons will be knocked out when their licenses expire on July 1, these being conducted by Ed. Cooney, Hanson & Burling, M. C. Hanson and John Droske. The vote a year ago was 89 to 74 for license. It is declared that a speech delivered at Amherst by John Strange of Neenah was a deciding factor in bringing Amherst into the dry column. The village was dry once before, about 18 years ago, for one year.

### Junction City Wet

Junction City wet voters drowned out the dries. The no-license proposal was voted down 49 to 7.

### Carson Still Wet



**\$100 Reward, \$100**  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials to Dr. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

**LAI TO REST MONDAY**  
**Body of Norman A. McPhail, Who Died in Seattle, Interred in Forest Cemetery**

Norman A. McPhail, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. McPhail, 1228 Main street, died at Seattle, Wash., on Saturday evening, March 23. Mr. McPhail had been in good health up until a day of his death but on Friday morning was suddenly stricken with acute Bright's disease while attempting to arise from his bed. He became unconscious and remained in that state until death.  
Norman McPhail was born in Chillicothe, Ohio, on Nov. 2nd, 1880. The McPhail family came to Stevens Point two years later where he grew to young manhood. He attended the public schools and was graduated from the high school in 1900. Immediately following his graduation he left for Chicago, where he was employed as a clerk for the Chicago & North Western railroad company for several years. He later went to Portland, Ore., and was employed as a chef until two years ago, when he departed for Seattle and was the chief chef for the Arctic Club. While in Portland he was married to Miss Ruth Meyers and their union was blessed with two children, Kenneth, aged 11, and Gordon, aged 8.  
The deceased is survived by his parents, who reside in this city and one brother and one sister, Edward McPhail of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. F. A. Deegen of Duluth, Minn.  
The father and brother of Norman McPhail left this city and Kansas City, respectively, following the arrival of messages announcing his critical condition, but they did not arrive until after his death. The body was shipped to Stevens Point on Tuesday and arrived here Saturday morning.  
The funeral was held from his parents' home Monday afternoon, the services being under the auspices of the Masonic chapter of this city. Besides the immediate family, J. R. McPhail, an uncle, Hartford, Mich., and Mrs. Edward McPhail of Kansas City attended the services. The body was laid to rest in Forest cemetery.

**NEW PIANO CLASS**  
Miss Ruth Hamilton will organize a new class in kindergarten piano work Saturday, April 6. A course preparatory for piano study, consisting of study of staff and notation, hand technique, keyboard rhythm and ear training, is given by means of drills, games and black board work. Children from seven to nine years of age are eligible for this class. Residence 212 Pine street; phone Black 570.

**ARE YOU A FAILURE?**  
Irving Bacheller, the author of Eben Holden, lecturer, and well-known writer, has written a personal article for the April American Magazine in which he says:  
"I pity the man who has no failures to his credit, whose way has been smooth and prosperous from beginning to end, because such a man is likely to be riding to the only tragic failure there is—that of life itself."  
"The thing that most often tends to poverty is the thing we call success. If one's failures have been honestly achieved by hard and long continued effort they become highly useful and convincing."



**Building-up for the Spring Attack**  
at the front is a good deal like putting the body in condition for an invasion of the germs of grip, pneumonia or "Spring fever" here at home.  
At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimples" or pale skin and white lips. The reason for this is that during the wintertime, shut up within doors, eating too much meat and too little green vegetables, one heaps fuel into the system which is not burned up and the clinkers remain to poison the system—a clogging up of the circulation—with inactive liver and kidneys. Time to put your house in order.  
For an invigorating tonic which will clarify the blood, put new life in the body, sparkle to the eyes, and a wholesome skin, nothing does so well as a glyceric herb extract made from Golden Seal root, Blood and Stone root, Oregon grape root and Wild Cherry bark. This can be had in convenient, ready-to-use tablet form at all drug stores, sixty cents, and has been sold for the past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By reason of the nerves feeding on the blood, when the blood is pure the nerves feel the effect, and neuralgia or other nerve pains disappear because such pain is the cry of the starved nerves for food. When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain Dr. Pierce's Anemic from your druggist. In tablets, sixty cents.

**POTATO SPRAYING PAYS**

Shown by Cooperative Experiments Conducted at Aroostook Farm

Some potato growers have expressed the opinion that it does not pay to spray potatoes for late blight. They claim that when the weather conditions are such that the disease is severe, spraying does not control it sufficiently to give an appreciable increase in yield, and also that in seasons when the attack is light the increase in yield from spraying is not sufficient to cover the added cost. Consequently they maintain that spraying is unprofitable at any time.  
That through spraying will control late blight in seasons of bad infection has been proven many times in the past, and most recently in Aroostook county, Me., in 1917. Among other places in the county, this was shown conclusively at Aroostook Farm, where extensive experiments were conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture, in cooperation with the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station.  
In one block where small test plots sprayed with standard Bordeaux mixture were interspersed with untreated check plots, the average yield on 11 of the former was at the rate of 181.2 bushels per acre, while that on an equal number of untreated plots was at the rate of 143.5 bushels per acre. This was an increase of 37.7 bushels per acre, or more than 26 per cent in favor of Bordeaux mixture.  
In another similar block the average yield of five plots sprayed with Bordeaux mixture was at the rate of nearly 237 bushels per acre, while that of the four untreated check plots in the same block was 174.3 bushels. The gain here was 62.5 bushels per acre, or about 36 per cent, due to spraying. Six applications were made on all the above-mentioned sprayed plots.  
On these experimental plots, spraying ought to have been started 10 days or two weeks sooner, or by the end of the first week in July. In spite of this fact, the yields given above indicate quite plainly that spraying paid. Moreover, many persons who saw the plots during the latter part of the season have testified to the striking differences on sprayed and unsprayed portions. On all the treated plots the spraying was done with a traction sprayer which maintained a good working pressure of at least 150 pounds per square inch.  
Adjoining one of the experiment blocks was a field where spraying was begun earlier and eight or nine applications were made. It was planted with the same lot of the same variety of seed, fertilized the same, and, except for spraying, received similar treatment in every respect. The yield on the portion of this field immediately adjoining one of the unsprayed check plots was 267.3 bushels per acre. Comparing this with the average of the unsprayed check plots mentioned above, shows a gain of 123.8 and 93 bushels per acre, respectively, or over 86 and 53 per cent. In none of the above figures is any account made of the extra loss resulting from tuber rot in storage in the crop produced on the unsprayed plots.  
Nineteen hundred and seventeen was one of the worst blight years in the history of Aroostook potato growing. The results cited above show conclusively that, even under the conditions that existed, late blight can be controlled by a grower who sets to do the job thoroughly. Moreover, they indicate that it can be done at a fair profit when the cost is considered in connection with the value of the increased yield resulting from the treatment.

**VISITED IN THE CITY**

Mrs. M. A. Wheeler, accompanied by Miss Gladys Beay, both of Milwaukee, spent several days in the city prior to Sunday night. Mrs. Wheeler, who is a former resident of this city, has been making her home in the Cream City for the past several months.

**MINING AT HIBBING**

Mr. and Mrs. William West, Jr., and little son of Hibbing, Minn., arrived in the city Monday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. West's parents. They will also visit in Chicago before returning home in about two weeks. Mr. West has a position with one of the mining companies at Hibbing. Earl Myers, another former Stevens Point boy, is employed by the same concern in a responsible capacity.

**THE CIRCUIT COURT**

Elvira H. Hutchinson vs. Clarence E. Hutchinson. Order to show cause why defendant should not be required to pay temporary alimony, suit money and attorney's fees. Defendant ordered to pay \$25 a month temporary alimony, \$20 suit money and \$25 attorney's fees.  
Agatha Cazyppior vs. Jacob Korsz et al. Order appointing receiver.  
John Johnson vs. Anna M. Johnson. Order charging venue to Winnebago county.

**SUSPENDS MEATLESS DAYS**

Food Administrator Hoover, in a statement to state food administrators, has announced a complete suspension of "meatless days" for a period of 30 days. In explaining the order he said that movement of hogs to market, following the clearing up of transportation, has been much above normal, furnishing a plentiful supply of pork. He also calls upon the American people for increased saving in breadstuffs and points out that this suspension of "meatless days" should not be taken as in any way a departure from the general principles of conservation of all foods which the food administration preaches. "The need of food on the other side is greater than ever—the need of economy in America greater than ever," he declared.

**NEWS AND VIEWS FROM HERE AND THERE**

Owing to a threatened epidemic of scarlet fever, the schools of Menominee have been closed until April 8.

The University of Wisconsin has about 1,500 students and alumni in the service. Marquette University, Milwaukee, has sent 450, 240 of whom are officers.

The Wisconsin chautauqua, which has been conducted for several summers under University auspices, will be omitted this year so that the staff may do more war work.

Jacob Auwr, editor of the Eau Claire Herald, arrested by federal authorities on a charge of printing objectionable articles in his paper, has been released on \$15,000 bonds.

The Dunphy boat works at Eau Claire has made 30 minelaying yawls on its government contract so far. These have been sent east to cities along the coast to be used in coast defense.

The Children's Home Society of Wisconsin has found homes for 3,300 children in the past 26 years. Among them were 35 boys who have reached the enlistment age and are in the service of the army or navy.

Rusk county, with a population of 15,000, claims to have furnished more volunteers than any other county in the United States considering its size. About 300 have enlisted and not a man has been called in the draft.

A. M. Penney and John F. Jardine have started a potato starch factory at Waupaca and will use 1,200 to 1,500 bushels of potatoes daily. They will pay 40 cents a hundred for culls and No. 2's and 50 cents for field run.

Every fifteenth man of the American Expeditionary Forces in France is from Wisconsin, according to Adj. Gen. Holway. He declares that Wisconsin is the only state from which all the National Guard units are in Europe.

Clintonville and the village of Embarras became bone dry when federal officers ordered saloons closed for the duration of the war. There are military camps in Clintonville in connection with the Four Wheel Drive factory and no saloons are permitted within five miles.

Andrew Peterson, aged 49, of Wausau, attempted to enlist in the army last Wednesday afternoon, but was turned down because he was too old. He went home and attempted suicide with a 32-calibre revolver, inflicting a serious wound in his head. He was a former Wausau policeman.

The Dodge County Banner of Mayville, B. J. Hustung editor, has switched from a German to an English newspaper after 24 years. The editor announces that the paper can serve itself and its readers better by printing in a language "which all our sons and daughters ought to know."

Frank J. Schubert, a Neenah shoe salesman, learned a lesson in patriotism in Grand Rapids last Wednesday night. In discussing the German drive he didn't exactly talk United States. As a result a group of men, among them Bob and Peck Nash, Byron Whitteman, Sam Church and M. J. Crosswell, gave him his choice of kissing the flag or taking a ducking in the river. He kissed the flag and ended up by buying \$50 worth of Thrift stamps.

Marshfield Herald: The training school for nurses at St. Joseph's Hospital, which has been running for the past four years, has decided to take a great step in advance and allow of the training of outside, or lay nurses. It will be distinctly non-sectarian in character, permitting young women of any religious denomination to enter.

The authorities of Merrill are hot after the pro-Germans, as their record during the past few months shows. Several persons have been brought into court for un-American talk, among those recently arrested being August Rhode, who was fined \$100. Rhode was alleged to have said that the allies could never whip Germany and that he hoped the kaiser would win.

New London Republican: New London residents have responded nobly in the matter of paying a per cent of their income for benefits that are doing so much for the American soldier. This week cards have been signed and turned in showing that no less than 98 per cent of the wage earners have shown their willingness to comply with the request made. The signed cards show more than \$900 monthly pledged.

(March 13—Ins. 7)  
**NOTICE OF SALE OF EXECUTION.**

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court in and for the county of Portage and state of Wisconsin up on a judgment rendered and docketed in said court on the 11th day of March A. D. 1918, in an action wherein J. Kuchnowski is plaintiff and John Habas is defendant, in favor of the said plaintiff and against the said defendant for the sum of Two Hundred Eighty-seven and 68/100 (\$287.68) Dollars, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county of Portage, I have levied upon all the right, title, and interest of the said defendant John Habas in and to the following described real estate to-wit: The South East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Four (4) Township Twenty-three (23) North of Range Seven (7) East in said county of Portage and state of Wisconsin;

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, as sheriff aforesaid will sell the above described real estate to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the West front door of the Court House in the city of Stevens Point in the county of Portage and state of Wisconsin on the 27th day of April A. D. 1918 at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day to satisfy the said execution together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated March 13, A. D. 1918.  
John F. Kubisiak,  
Sheriff of Portage County.  
Fisher & Cashin,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

(Mar. 6—7 Ins.)  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN—In Circuit Court—Portage County.**

Jozefa Okray, plaintiff, vs. Robert P. Wright, Wilson S. Wright; wife of Robert P. Wright and wife of Wilson S. Wright; the heirs of Robert P. Wright and the heirs of Wilson S. Wright, if any; Timothy Hurley, the wife of Timothy Hurley; the heirs of Timothy Hurley, if any; Hugh Byrns, the wife of Hugh Byrns and the heirs of Hugh Byrns, if any; John W. Hines, the wife of John W. Hines and the heirs of John W. Hines, if any; Joseph A. Bessey, the wife of Joseph A. Bessey, if any; George Rhodes, wife of George Rhodes and the heirs of George Rhodes, if any; Joseph Wugek, the wife of Joseph Wugek, if any; Lodwick S. Davis, wife of Lodwick S. Davis, if any; the heirs of Lodwick S. Davis, if any;

Mary Wnuk Yesko, the heirs of Mary Wnuk Yesko; J. D. Krazewski, the wife of J. D. Krazewski, if any; The Benevolent Society, a corporation, of the city of Milwaukee; the successors and assigns of the Benevolent Society of Milwaukee, a corporation; John Netzel and Magdalena Netzel, his wife, Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendants, and each of them:  
You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons exclusive of the date of service and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint.

The original complaint is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, for Portage County.  
W. F. Owen,  
Plaintiff's attorney.

P. O. Address, Stevens Point, Portage County, Wisconsin.

The above action is brought for the purpose of quieting title to the following described lands, situated in Portage county, Wisconsin, viz. the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29), township twenty-four (24), North of range No. seven (7) East.

(March 20—Ins. 3)  
**NOTICE FOR ADMINISTRATION**

and Notice to Creditors—State of Wisconsin, County Court, Portage County.—Probate.—In re Estate of Millie Ostrander, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That at the regular term of said court to be held at said Court House, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1918, there will be heard, considered and adjusted, all claims against said Millie Ostrander deceased;

And Notice is hereby Further Given, That all such claims for examination and allowance must be presented to said county court at the Court House in the City of Stevens Point, in said county and state, on or before the 20th day of July, A. D. 1918 or be barred.

Dated March 20th, 1918.  
By the Court,  
John A. Must, Judge  
Must & Must, Attorneys.

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AT NEWS STANDS AND AT THIS OFFICE

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American soldiers are said to be marrying French girls. But of course none of the Portage county soldiers will forget the girls they left behind.

Saturday is the first anniversary of America's entrance into the war. It also marks the opening of the third Liberty Loan campaign. Serve and celebrate by putting your dollars behind your government.

At a recent conference the kaiser and Gen. von Ludendorff engaged in a violent quarrel, it is reported, and the emperor finally became so enraged that he said, "General, are you or I emperor of Germany?" It is easy to imagine the kaiser in the same kind of an argument with God.

The man who used to go around giving speeches of protest against naval expenditures and telling how many school houses could be built with the price of one battleship, might now explain to the public how much use these school houses would be worth if the British and American navies did not stand between them and Hun kultur.

A new and distinctive feature will be introduced in the Third Liberty Loan campaign, and every city or town in the country which subscribes more than its quota of Liberty bonds will be awarded by the Treasury Department an Honor Flag.

The flag will be 36 inches wide and 54 inches long. The body of the flag will be white with a broad red border, and three broad blue vertical stripes denoting the Third Loan. The flags, which will be of the same quality as the flags of the Navy, are already being manufactured and will be awarded as fast as the right to fly them is won. Though awarded by the Treasury Department, they will be distributed by the Liberty Loan committees of the different districts.

There will also be a National Honor Flag for each State, to be flown at the State capitol, with the name of each town winning a flag inscribed upon it. There will be also preserved in the United States Treasury a National Honor Flag, with the record of each State recorded on it.

Stars, to be placed on the flag of each city or town doubling its quota, will be also awarded, and an additional star for each time the quota is doubled.

An Honor Roll, containing the names of all subscribers, but not the amount of the individual subscriptions, will be kept in each community. A window card, bearing a representation of the Honor Flag, will be given each subscriber to the loan, to be displayed at the home or place of business.

One of the newest functions of the American Red Cross is to give to relatives and friends of American soldiers details of casualties at the front.

The anxiety which naturally follows every battle when official reports simply state that such and such soldiers were wounded or "missing" will be relieved in a large measure by this service. The bureau established in Paris by the Red Cross will supplement government information with fuller details such as relatives crave.

Investigators from the Paris office will be stationed at base hospitals in France. When a soldier is killed, wounded or missing these investigators will send full particulars promptly to headquarters and from there it will be sent to America. Comrades of the men who fall in battle will be questioned for last details about their fate.

Any information of interest or consolation to relatives thus obtained will be sent to them through postal communication, while messages from the men will be conveyed through the same agency.

As the American forces abroad increase, the probability is that it will be necessary to have a bureau of communication, and headquarters at Washington.

Along with the supplies the American Red Cross has been sending for sending food to American soldiers in German camps. In one case, three hundred packages of food will be sent from Switzerland to each American soldier in Germany.

This is a hard war. No moment of the past that is not year of other countries, would suffer more than the war is from a German victory, a German peace.

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those who do not love it enough to work for it, to fight for it, to die for it, are not worthy of the privileges of living in it.

"I say to the Kaiser, I say to the German, in the name of the American labor movement: You can't talk peace with the American workers; you can't talk peace with us; you can't talk peace with us at all now. We are fighting now. Either you smash your kaiser autocracy or we will smash it for you."

The workmen of America have a tremendous interest to serve, a vital cause to defend, a work of surpassing importance to accomplish. What is vital to them is vital to America and to the world. That they see their duty and the great mass of them are performing it with unimpeachable loyalty is a cause for congratulation to the Nation and to the world.

## CHEETAHS USED FOR HUNTERS

Are Regarded as the Swiftest of Animals—Combine Speed, Courage and Stalking Ability.

The fastest animal on four legs is said to be the cheetah or hunting leopard, which is part of the establishment of many an Indian noble.

The cheetah is a tall, rangy spotted cat as large as the American puma and is the only one of the large cats which has been domesticated so that it may be controlled in the open field by the voice of man.

This hunting cat is a wonderful combination of speed, courage and stalking ability; indeed, the chief weakness of hunting with the cheetah as a sport is that the cheetah does everything and has all the fun.

Any traveler who visits an Indian potentate in the excellent hunting regions along the foothills of the Himalayas will be sure to be taken hunting with the prince's cheetahs. These formal hunts are specially dull, as the game is commonly driven by beaters almost under the nose of the cat, which merely butchers it. On more informal hunts, however, there is much maneuvering with the cat in which the cheetahs are held until the animals see the quarry, which is usually some sort of deer. Then the cheetah is unhooded and either proceeds by an elaborate stalk to approach and kill the deer or if it is close to make one of those lightning rushes from which nothing on earth is fleet enough to escape. Occasionally a buck, taken by surprise, will turn and catch the springing cat upon his horns, thus turning the tables completely.

## HE BELIEVES IN PUBLICITY

Dutiful Husband Assists Wife in Receiving, and Wants His Friends to Know It.

A small, rather timid-looking man entered a newspaper office and approached the clerk.

"Are you the man who takes in society news?" he queried with an appealing look.

"Yes, sir," cheerfully replied the young man at the desk. "I can take any kind of news. What have you got?"

"Why, it's just this way," said the caller, lowering his voice. "My wife gave a party last night. It was a brilliant affair, and I am willing to pay to have this report of it put in the paper."

"We don't charge anything for publishing society news," explained the clerk, at the same time taking the proffered manuscript and looking it over.

"That's all right," was the reply. "You don't get me. I wrote this up myself, and I put in a line that says, 'Mr. Halfback assisted his distinguished wife in receiving the guests.' That's the way I want it to go in, and I don't care what the cost is, absolutely don't care what the cost is. I want my friends to know, by George, that I still belong to the family."—Lippincott's Magazine.

## HIS OPPORTUNITY



"I don't believe there ever was a perfect man."

"Adam would have been perfect, if Eve had only been made first."

"What do you mean?"

"Well, then she could have bossed the job of making Adam."

Put His Foot in It.

He had been a good fellow, but he had put his foot in it.

Hubby Loses.

Mrs. D. lost her husband last night, but she didn't know it until it was too late.

Mrs. D. said—Then he came out and said—

Mrs. D. said—Hardly the joke came back, but the umbrella didn't.

## AMES QUILTS TEACHING

Member of Normal Faculty to Take Executive Position With Two Bukolt Companies

M. M. Ames, for twelve years a member of the faculty of the Stevens Point Normal, has decided to give up the teaching profession to respond to a call from the business world. He has already presented his resignation to the Normal school authorities and in a few weeks will become actively associated in an executive capacity with the Automatic Cradle Manufacturing Co. and the Bukolt Manufacturing Co. of this city.

Mr. Ames, in entering the business field, will find an outlet for his ability as an organizer and booster. The two concerns, of both of which John J. Bukolt is at the head, are alone in their field and the opportunities that confront them have scarcely been touched, in the broader sense. The Automatic Cradle Manufacturing Co., which manufactures self-rocking cradles, is a proven success, while the Bukolt Manufacturing Co., while manufacturing a comparatively new product, automobile tire protectors, has at the present time more business than it can handle.

The engagement of Mr. Ames by the two companies was the first step in the plan to reorganize the business, first by greatly increasing production and second by creating the demand to take care of that increase. Mr. Bukolt, who is a practical factory man, the inventor of both devices, has borne great responsibilities in developing both industries and as a result many things that might have been done and which were recognized as advisable, have necessarily gone undone. With Mr. Ames to assume some of the burden now carried by Mr. Bukolt, the latter will be free to devote his attention to increased production and a general readjustment of manufacturing facilities. One of the important changes contemplated is the development of mechanical facilities that will add greatly to the efficiency of the two plants. This will effect a saving in cost of pro-

duction, relieve to a large extent the labor shortage and enable the company to standardize the product. Mr. Ames will take over the sales and advertising departments, among other duties, and will be given free rein to develop the business from without. The company has agencies all over the country.

Mr. Ames has been a strong man as a teacher and those who know him best are confident he will be equally successful in the world of business. He is a young man, full of energy and ideas and should be of material assistance in attaining for the two concerns with which he is to be associated the maximum results.

Mr. Ames first came to Stevens Point as a student at the Normal, from which he was graduated in 1902. Immediately thereafter he took a position as teacher in a ward school at Appleton. Later he was assistant superintendent of schools at Hayward for two years and for three years superintendent of the University of Wisconsin, following his graduation from which he was superintendent at Stanley for two years. Next he was traveling salesman for a Chicago publishing house. He returned to Stevens Point in 1912 as instructor in methods and reviews at the Normal, but during the last three years has been teacher of United States history and civics.

At one time Mr. Ames was in the newspaper business, owning a half interest in The Free Press of Cumberland. He was actively engaged in the management of this for a few months, and on going to Hayward as superintendent continued his connection for six months.

Mr. Ames has been a valuable man for the Normal and for the city, for his activities have extended beyond the school room. He had charge of several junior debating teams at the school which established an enviable record in contests with Oshkosh, and he also heartily supported all forms of athletics. In Red Cross, Liberty Loan and other war activities he has taken a prominent part, and was especially successful in the Christmas week membership drive for the Red Cross, when he served as county chairman.

**One Reason.**  
"I make it a rule," declared a friend of ours, yesterday, "never to spend a cent that I don't record, and to practice the strictest economy both in my home and in my office."  
"Is this war conservation," we asked, "or did you always economize that way?"  
"No, I didn't always economize," he answered. "Of course not. If I had always done so, I wouldn't have to do it now. Silly question!"

**Shoot!**  
Cholly—Would it be against the law for me to shoot a couple of bears?  
Gulde—No; there's no law agin' lyin' that I ever heard tell on.

**Ready for Stumberland.**  
Bessie's mother has a set of false teeth which she always puts in a weak brine each night upon retiring. One evening Bessie was restless, and didn't like to stay upstairs alone.  
"Mother," she called at last, "salt down your teeth and come to bed."

**Only One Can Dress Well.**  
"Her husband must have a big salary."

"What makes you think so?"  
"The way she dresses."  
"Well, go now and take a look at the way her husband dresses, and you'll change your mind."

## Weber's Band Dance

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LOCAL NEWS  
of INTEREST

A full line of garden and farm seeds at Chas. A. Hamacker's. a3w2  
George Isherwood of the town of Plover transacted business in the city last Saturday.  
New home made sauerkraut, 13 cents per quart, 2 quarts for 25c, at A. F. Behrendt's. a3w2  
Mrs. C. E. Nebel and Miss Laura Gaulke visited at Grand Rapids the latter part of last week.  
E. C. Wotruba, stenographer at the First National bank, spent part of Sunday at his home in Milladore.  
Mrs. Geo. Tardiff, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Van Rooy and baby were visitors at Minneapolis the first of the week.  
Miss Helen Kelly of this city, who is engaged as a teacher in Green Bay, came home for the latter part of the week.  
Miss Nellie Gleason, a teacher in the schools at Granton, Clark county, came down Saturday for the Easter vacation.  
John Martini, who attends the University of Wisconsin at Madison, spent Easter here with his parents at 839 Main street.  
Mrs. B. F. Bowen of Minneapolis spent last Friday in the city, a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Collins.  
Earl P. Kelly, Wisconsin Telephone Co. manager at Appleton, came up Sunday morning for a day's visit at the old home here.  
John P. Love, who is employed at plumbing work in Chicago, came up last week for a few days' visit with his father and sisters.  
J. Rollin Gray of Wilmette, Ill., spent last Thursday in the city. Mr. Gray was formerly manager of the Stevens Point Water Co.  
The Misses Ruth Beattie and Florence Allen spent the week end in the city. The young ladies are teachers in the Weyauwega public school.  
Will Clifford left for Minneapolis last Saturday night to look after business matters and visit former associates in that city a couple of days.  
Norman Kelly, junior in the dentistry course at Marquette University at Milwaukee, was the guest of his mother the latter part of the week.  
Miss Florence Gething, who teaches fourth and fifth grade work in the Thorp school, visited over Sunday at her mother's home on Normal avenue.  
Miss Edith Hamacker, who is a member of the faculty of the Marathon County Training school at Wausau, came home for a visit over Easter.  
O. L. Bestul of Scandinavia spent Thursday in the city. He is the owner of a fine herd of Guernseys, some yearlings of which he is offering for sale.  
Mrs. Alice Washburn of Plover returned home last Wednesday from Mobile, Ala., where she spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Lull.  
F. W. Calkins of Grand Rapids, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Calkins of this city, has been appointed United States commissioner for the Western district of Wisconsin.  
H. B. Huber, agent for the Soo line at Marshfield, accompanied his family to this city Saturday for a couple of days' visit with Mrs. Huber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Holmes.  
George L. Rogers has purchased the residence property at 525 Normal avenue of Joseph F. Prodzinski. After improvements are made, the house will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Rogers.  
Edward Mullranin, a molder in the navy and stationed on the U. S. S. Connecticut, arrived home last week on a 16-days' furlough. The young man has made three trips to England, but has yet to see his first German submarine.  
Samuel Chapman, a former employee of the First National bank, came up from his home at Port Atkinson Monday for a few days' visit with his sister, Mrs. Luella Chapman Pierce, supervisor of music in the public schools.  
Wm. Loss, a resident of the town of Hull for upwards of forty years, was a welcome caller on The Gazette last Saturday. Although born in Europe, Mr. Loss is now a full fledged citizen of this country and a truly loyal American.  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newby are now occupying the home they recently purchased from B. F. Strong, 214 Mill street, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bruns and family have moved into the place at 220 S. Third street vacated by the Newbys.  
Herman Luckenbach of Menasha was a caller at E. A. Oberwieser's home on Easter Sunday. Mrs. Luckenbach has been here for a week, looking after the Oberwieser household during the absence of the latter family to the east and south.  
Miss Gertrude Mencher of Green Bay spent the Easter holidays as the guest of Miss Catherine Leve in this city. The former young lady was graduated from the Normal last June and has been teaching in one of the ward schools in her home city.  
Walter Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Newton of this city, and Miss Gladys Double of Kenosha were married at the latter city on March 12. They will reside their home in Kenosha, where Mr. Newton is in the employ of the Nash Motors Co.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ekman, 734 W. Main street, mourn the death of their infant daughter, Mary, who died at 10 o'clock last Thursday morning, two hours after birth. The funeral was held Friday morning, interment being in St. Peter's cemetery.  
Mrs. R. Earl Pryse, who now lives near Waupaca Veterans' Home, visited in this city Monday and yesterday with her son, L. J. Eaton. The Pryses own a farm near the Chain of Lakes but Mr. and Mrs. Pryse devote most of their time as caretakers at the summer home owned by the Jesuit order.

Lawn grass and white clover seed at Chas. A. Hamacker's. a3w2  
Mrs. A. H. Baker and Mrs. F. C. Baker spent last Friday at Marshfield.  
Mrs. M. C. Fuller and daughter, Ferol, visited over Easter at Minneapolis.  
Jason Maunders, who is attending Ripon college, came home to spend Easter.  
Mrs. J. J. Hart and son, George, have been visiting relatives in Milwaukee.  
Miss Grace Nohr, who teaches at Iron Belt, came home to spend her Easter vacation.  
Buy your timothy, clover, alayke, millet, rape seed and field peas at Chas. A. Hamacker's. a3w2  
Mrs. Sarah Meeks of Withee has been visiting for several days at the home of her son, Ralph Meeks.  
Miss Irene Harriman, who has a position as teacher in the Brandon public school, came home for Easter.  
Clifford Ashmun of Minneapolis visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ashmun, Prentice street.  
Mrs. E. H. Rogers and daughter, Elizabeth, went to Farmington, Minn., last Friday for a visit of several days with relatives.  
Fred Craig went to Plainfield last Friday morning and visited until the first of the week with his daughter in that village.  
Mrs. John Kalk and Mrs. William Marquardt went to Milwaukee the last of the week for a several days' visit with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Nugent Glennon came up from Milwaukee last Friday night and visited until Monday with his parents and sister.  
Miss Elizabeth Skinner, principal of the graded school at Mason, Iron county, came home last Saturday for the Easter vacation.  
M. B. Lukaszevich, a Soo line conductor but who is now doing special government work at Racine for a few weeks, was an over Sunday visitor among friends in this city.  
Miss Genette Rowe, who teaches at Columbus, came home to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rowe, Normal avenue.  
Mrs. J. W. Dunegan and daughters, Catherine and Dorothy, are spending the week in Milwaukee as guests of the lady's sisters and brother.  
Harold West, who is attending the University of Illinois college of dental surgery, Chicago, came home to spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday.  
Miss Selma Hofsoos, teacher of science in the Manitowish High school, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hofsoos, in this city.  
Robert Urbahn, who is attending the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, came home to visit over Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Urbahn.  
Willis Langenberg, city solicitor in Milwaukee for Ricketson & Schwartz, brick manufacturers, came up Saturday for a few days' stay at his home in this city.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Whitely, who had been spending several weeks at San Antonio, Tex., and other points in the south, returned home the last of the week.  
Judge B. B. Park went to Grand Rapids today for a short session of the circuit court. He will spend the last few days of the week at Waupaca on circuit court matters.  
Fred Stauffer, who lives on route 1, Dancy, drove to town with a load of hay Tuesday. The roads are bad in some places, but generally better than usual for this time of the year.  
Roman Woznicki, who is in training at the Great Lakes Naval training station, came home the last of the week for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woznicki.  
George B. Nelson and Prof. F. S. Hyer were speakers at a meeting at Scandinavia last Saturday evening in the interests of the candidacy of Irvin L. Lennrot for United States senator.  
Mrs. T. E. Dever, who came here to attend the funeral of her uncle, the late A. F. Behrendt, returned to her home in Milwaukee Tuesday afternoon. Her brother, Willis Langenberg, who also came up from Milwaukee on a like mission, returned Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dickerson of Marshfield visited over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bannach, at Custer. Mrs. Dickerson will be remembered as Miss Frances C. Bannach, former superintendent of schools of Portage county.  
Mrs. M. W. Buck returned home last week from a trip of several weeks east and south, during which she visited her son, Warren T. Buck, at Moss Point, Miss., and her daughter, Mrs. J. McDonald, at San Francisco, Cal. Her daughter, Miss Sadie Buck, who accompanied her, remained at Moss Point.  
Mrs. D. J. Luby and Mrs. C. E. Shortliff were at Madison recently, in attendance at a meeting of State Council of Defense workers. Women of Wisconsin have been active in all forms of patriotic work and it was for the purpose of discussing problems and making possible greater usefulness that the meeting was held.  
J. A. Roberts, former agent for the Singer Sewing Machine Co. here, but who moved to Oshkosh and later to a farm in Richland county, returned here last week and purchased the D. Crofoot eighty acre tract in Buena Vista. The family are now settling at their new home and will be engaged extensively in farming and stock raising.  
Mrs. E. A. Reed was elected president of the Ladies' Social Union of the First National bank here at the meeting of the ladies last Thursday afternoon. The other officers are: Mrs. C. E. Urabahn, secretary; Mrs. John Rothman, secretary; and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell, treasurer. Mrs. M. L. Guyant, Mrs. John Rothman, Mrs. E. B. Robertson and Mrs. C. E. Urabahn were chosen as chairmen of the four circles of the union.

Jas. Grover and family have moved to this city from Abbotsford.  
Mrs. H. J. Bidwell and son, Lloyd, visited over Sunday at Minneapolis.  
Florian Bannach, who is attending Ripon college, visited over Easter at Custer and in this city.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Calkins were motorists from Plover who transacted business in Stevens Point Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Kitowski returned home last Thursday after a couple of weeks' visit in Sheboygan and Chicago.  
Miss Cecile Boursier, principal of the Curtiss state graded school, arrived home the last of the week to spend Easter.  
Miss Dorothy Hamilton, who has a position as teacher at Milaca, Minn., arrived home the last of the week for an Easter visit.  
Gordon Lovejoy, who is teaching at Cochrane, visited over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lovejoy, in this city.  
Mrs. John F. Crumme and two children will leave for Chicago Thursday for a ten days' visit at the home of Mr. Crumme's mother, Mrs. Geo. Crumme.  
Joseph Jerzak, Jr., who had been employed in Milwaukee, has accepted a position as salesman for the Cudahy Packing Co. in this section of the state, including Portage county.  
Miss Bertha Fierek came down from Chippewa Falls Saturday morning and remained until Tuesday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Fierek on Normal avenue.  
Miss Hazel Calkins, who is attending the Whitewater Normal, taking the commercial course, spent the Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Calkins, in Plover.  
Miss Inez Jackson, who teaches at Marshfield, came home last Friday to remain over Easter at her home on East avenue. Miss Vera Clark, who also teaches at Marshfield, was her guest on Saturday.  
John Warshak, Sdo line freight brakeman residing in this city, suffered a minor injury to his left hand last Friday while at Marshfield. He has since been off duty, but will soon be able to resume work.  
Irvin Holman, one of Portage county's soldiers in the National Army, came up from Camp Grant, Ill., to spend Easter. The young soldier was one of the first nine men from this county to go to the Illinois camp, leaving in September.  
Parcel post packages for men in the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe are no longer accepted for mailing unless the contents have been asked for in writing by the addressee, approved by the regimental or higher commander or some other executive officer. This order does not affect the mailing of letters and papers.  
Frank N. Roberts, foreman in a big job printing establishment at Cincinnati, Ohio, spent part of Saturday at his parents' home on Ellis street. Frank is the controlling spirit in the Roberts Furniture Co., makers of printers' material, and although the concern is a new one it seems destined to be a big institution within a few years.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marshall and three children and the Misses Jennie and Ivah Chapman motored to Grand Rapids Sunday. All returned home that afternoon except Miss Ivah Chapman, who remained until Monday to accompany home by train her father, F. L. G. Chapman, who had been spending a few weeks at the home of his son, E. H. Chapman, at Grand Rapids.  
Magnus Hanson, a student at the Normal during the first semester of the 1917-18 year and who lived at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Lorentzen at 313 Center avenue, has joined the army engineers as a member of the 452nd truck company and is now in training at Fort Meyer, Virginia. It is probable that the young man will be transferred to France within a few weeks.  
Frank Guyant, former sheriff of Portage county, came up from Belmont last Friday and visited a few days at the home of his son, Merrill Guyant. Frank says he devoted the winter months to the duties of fireman, keeping eight stoves in operation. He feels that he is qualified to be classed as an expert but has no desire to continue this calling either here or hereafter.  
Miss Ethel Blake, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. James Blake, was the winner of the silver medal contest conducted at the Baptist church last Thursday evening under the auspices of the Stevens Point W. C. T. U. Otto Christenson won second place and Virginia Erickson third. The judges were C. W. Coops, L. A. Gordon and Prof. D. A. Swartz. Several musical numbers were introduced.  
Rev. J. J. Faville, a leading Congregational minister of Wisconsin, a prominent figure in the dry movement and at present mayor of Appleton, gave an address to a fair sized crowd at the Armory Saturday evening under the auspices of the local dry committee. Dr. Faville discussed the liquor question from various angles and expressed the hope that Stevens Point could vote out the saloons. He was introduced by Rev. G. M. Calhoun.  
Sergeant Bernard Kane of Co. H, 26th Infantry, Camp Pike, Ark., arrived in this city last Friday morning for a few days' visit with his father, Bernard Kane, Sr. The young soldier was operated upon for appendicitis on March 8. He is steadily recovering his health and strength and is anxious to get back with his company. He is more than satisfied with his treatment in the army and said he was sorry he didn't get in sooner.  
Two of the local members of the United German No. 17, Knights Templar, and about fifteen other persons participated in the annual Easter festival at the Stevens Point Armory Saturday afternoon. The pastor, Rev. R. J. Leach, gave an inspiring sermon. The trip to Grand Rapids and return was made on a special train on the Green Bay road. Grand Rapids members of the local Commandery met the Stevens Pointers at the depot and escorted them to the church.

W. R. Ruff has been confined to his home with a severe attack of the grip.  
Will Betlach was here from Amherst today for a visit in the old home town.  
Rev. and Mrs. T. W. North, who are living on what is known as the Marion farm near Dancy, spent Easter Sunday in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Roe.  
Herman A. Creuger, a veteran employee in the Soo line roundhouse at N. Fond du Lac, came up this morning to mingle with friends in town during the day.  
Paul Moran and family, who have occupied the Heffron house at 806 Main street since last fall, returned to their farm in the town of Stockton the first of this week.  
Miss Beth Davis of Appleton, a graduate of the local Normal, now a teacher at Dunbar, arrived in the city Monday for a few days' visit with her sister, Miss Leah Davis, of the High school faculty.  
L. J. Eaton visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. O. J. Lutter, at Lady-smith over Sunday. Another sister, Mrs. Edward Gearhart of Chicago, formerly Miss Marie Eaton, was also there for the day.  
Miss Clara Moeschler, who finished at the state university, Madison, in February, and has since been teaching at West Allis, spent a short vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Moeschler, prior to Sunday afternoon.  
George B. Blencoe, flagman at the Clark street railroad crossing for nearly ten years, has resigned and will make an extended visit at Seymour, with his daughter, Mrs. Mary Jones. H. J. Brawley has taken Mr. Blencoe's place as flagman.  
The annual Easter Monday dancing party given by the Masons in the temple was a delightful event, attended by Masons, their sons and ladies. Weber's orchestra played the dance program, which began at 9 and ended at 1:30. Lunch was served at midnight.  
Mrs. J. A. Bremmer visited over Easter with her daughter, Miss Edith Bremmer, at Hudson. The latter is supervisor of commercial work in the Hudson High school. Both ladies spent a short time in St. Paul and while there had the pleasure of hearing the celebrated singer, Galli-Curci.  
Edmund Formella, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard A. Formella of this city, was mentioned in last Friday's Chicago Herald as among the National Army men selected for immediate service in France in a picked unit. The young man went to Camp Grant from Chicago, where he was employed.  
The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cychosz, 500 Wadleigh street, died on Sunday at 12:15 p. m. The little boy was but 16 days' old. There are no other children in the family. The body was laid to rest Tuesday morning in St. Peter's cemetery after funeral services were conducted at the parish church.  
Mary Brady, county food agent, left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Rapids and this afternoon gave a food demonstration at Vesper. The demonstration will consist of the use of corn as a substitute. Thursday a demonstration on the substitution of sugar with maple and corn syrups and honey in desserts, cookies and puddings, will be given in Grand Rapids.  
Adolph Nelson, a former resident of the village of Amherst, where he was for many years in the employ of his cousin, James J. Nelson, when the latter conducted a store there, died last Saturday at Idaho Springs, Col. He went to the Colorado city nearly 20 years ago and was in business there. James J. Nelson of Amherst left Sunday for Idaho Springs to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Walter Kruger was over from Grand Rapids to spend Easter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Seidler.  
Mrs. James Wilson and daughter, Miss Susie Wilson, returned the last of the week from a visit with relatives at Deer Park and Mobile, Ala., where they had been since the first of January. They also spent three weeks at Ottawa, Ill., visiting their daughter and sister, and Miss Wilson spent part of the time in Chicago.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burt, Mrs. F. D. Abel and Mrs. M. C. Whitrock drove over from Grand Rapids last Friday in the Burt car and remained until the following day, guests of the ladies' sister, Mrs. R. W. Morse. Another sister, Mrs. Frank Schmeling of Wausau was also a guest at the Morse home last week.  
Russell Broten, senior in the High school and son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Broten, has enlisted in the coast artillery. He enlisted the day after reaching his eighteenth birthday. Broten passed a preliminary examination here last Thursday and left immediately for Grand Rapids for final examination. He has one brother, Robert, who enlisted with the former Troop I and is now somewhere "over there" with Battery E, 120th Field Artillery.  
Dr. R. B. Smiley of this city is probably now on his way to New York and it is expected that within a few days he will leave for France, word to this effect having been received from Mrs. Smiley in a letter to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ruff. Dr. and Mrs. Smiley left here several months ago and for some time the doctor was stationed at Ft. Riley, Kas., but later was transferred to the signal corps at Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., and it was from the latter place that he expected to leave this week. Mrs. Smiley will return here.

E. H. Anacheutz, who is employed by the Manitowish Shipbuilding Co. at Manitowish, visited at his home here over Easter.

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1—The University of Chicago building in Paris, opened as an army club for college men and their friends.  
2—American soldiers loading one of the Dutch steamers taken over by the American government.  
3—Italian soldiers playing wire entanglements along the Piave river line where an Austrian attack was threatened.

## NEWS REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK

Great German Drive Slowed Up and Allied Counter-Thrust Seems at Hand.

### AMIENS THE HUN'S OBJECTIVE

British Speedily Check Diversion Attack on Arras—French Stubbornly Hold Line on Oise—Americans Acquit Themselves Well—Ukrainians and Bolsheviks Recapture Odessa.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

Another week of the bloodiest kind of fighting failed to bring to the Germans the real victory on which they had so confidently counted, for though the British and French armies had been forced to yield further territory, their lines were unbroken and their spirits undimmed. As the German military authorities, General Ardenne, says, it is not the capture of territory that can bring a decision, but only a victory over and through the shattering of the enemy's armies. So far from being shattered, the allied forces, weary and battered as they are, are full of confidence, and as this is written are but awaiting the opportune moment to strike back with the big army of maneuver which was placed at the disposal of the supreme war council.

Amiens, a most important link in the British line of communications, appeared to be the real objective of the Germans, and they were able during the week to push forward toward that city along the line of the Somme, as far as Hamel, and a little farther north they took Albert and were holding it against fierce counter attacks by the British. To the south they had pushed a salient forward a little beyond Montdidier, but there the French came back at them with such elan that they were checked and lost several commanding positions. East of this sector the French troops held stubbornly to their lines along the Oise and on Thursday attacked dashing south of Noyon and drove the enemy back two miles at the point of the bayonet. It was along this east and west base of the German salient that the allied world expected the great counter-thrust of the army of maneuver to be made. Any considerable advance to the north there it was pointed out, would force the Germans to draw back to save their lines of communication, which already are so badly stretched out that they have great difficulty in bringing up artillery and food.

What looked like a diversion rather than a serious threat was the attack of the Huns in the middle of the week at the northern extremity of the line of battle toward Arras. There the British, after giving some ground, repulsed the enemy with terrible slaughter. Presumably this thrust at Arras was made to keep the British from sending men and guns to the sector where their lines join those of the French, but it was so quickly blocked that it failed of its purpose. Extraordinarily bold and successful was the work of the British and French aviators. In their low-flying battle planes they flew in swarms continuously over the battlefields and back of the German lines, playing havoc with the enemy's transports and inflicting heavy casualties to his reserves. Battles in the air were incessant, but the allied airmen maintained the upper hand always. The aviators also distinguished themselves, striking to their firing to the last moment and usually saving their guns when forced to fall back.

On the whole, the developments of the week were such as to give confidence among the allies, for though the situation was still critical, it seemed that Premier Clemenceau was right when he said that whatever might happen in the next few days the enemy could not win the path to the sea nor the path to Paris.

had not been made clear at the time of writing, but testimony to their excellent fighting was given by a wounded French captain who arrived in Paris. "Entirely new in this warfare," said he, "the Americans worked like the best veterans."

Some of Pershing's men, at least, were moved over to the sectors left by French troops who were sent farther west to stem the German advance. In their own sector near Toul they had a rather lively week of it, for the German artillery shelled them continuously and seemed to be preparing for an infantry attack. The American guns made effective response, and on occasion drenched the enemy positions with gas shells.

There were increasing evidences during the week that the Italian front is to be the scene of another Toulon drive. Airplane observers reported that heavy reinforcements to the Austrian forces were being brought up daily from the Roumanian front, together with numerous new pieces of heavy artillery. In the mountain section the artillery duels grew in intensity, and everything pointed toward an early effort to break through to the plains in that region. It was supposed the Austrians believed the Italians would be dispirited by the German successes in France.

The "miracle gun" with which the Germans have been shelling Paris from a distance of 76 miles turns out to be a product of the Krupp works, as is proved by the Kaiser's message to Doctor Krupp von Bohlen and Halbach congratulating him on the success of the new weapon. A German ordinance authority says these extraordinary guns are merely being tested on Paris and have been built for the purpose of bombarding London.

Another considerable victory was scored last week by the British forces in Mesopotamia, the entire Turkish army in the Hitt area being captured or destroyed. In Palestine, the British continued their advance beyond the Jordan, approaching the Hejaz railway on which they heavily bombed troop transport trains.

The revolt of the Russians against the brutal pillaging of the Germans who have penetrated their country is beginning to bear fruit. Troops of the Ukrainian militia are cooperating with the bolshevik forces and already have recaptured Odessa after a bloody battle, in which naval forces took part. Before that the red guards and armed civilians had retaken Kherson, Nikolayev and Znamenska from the Tountons. In some places the peasants killed the German soldiers who were taking away their foodstuffs. The Ukrainians were angered by attempts of the Germans to go far beyond the terms of the peace treaty and strip the country of its stores of grain and sugar. It is said a council of German officers decided to continue operations in Ukraine until the power of the bolsheviks there had been eliminated.

Trotsky, speaking in Moscow, declared Russia will never be an enslaved country, though the soviet government is now weak and poor. He said they would introduce compulsory military training for the workmen and peasants and create an army of 300,000 men within eight or ten weeks. The allies will stand ready to support all elements within Russia which will oppose the German invasion.

However, as Gilbert K. Chesterton says, it is plain that the bolshevik philosophy does not prevent a man from fighting; it only prevents him from winning.

Probably it was inevitable that politics should enter into the debates and doings of congress this year, but it has taken a particularly unfortunate turn owing to the senatorial election in Wisconsin. The president, because of his effort to bring about the election of Mr. Taft, is accused by the Republicans of going out of his way to confuse partisanship with loyalty. A recent attack by Senator Stephen M. Edwards, who asserts the Republican party is not sought to secure victory in the war, was a case in point. Senator Williams, who started this row, was a senator in which he charged that the failure of the air program and of the backwardness of shipbuilding were "poisoned" as directed by the Republicans against the administration. This was

vehemently denied by Senator Jones and others, who contended that the public should be told the truth and not fed on misleading statements of the Progress of our war preparations.

In a follow-up speech Thursday Senator Williams bluntly declared that Senator La Follette should be expelled from the senate, and that Victor Berger, Socialist candidate for the senate from Wisconsin, should be interned. Mr. Williams' colleagues appeared to be startled by this, but not one of them had the nerve to endorse his suggestions.

As to airplanes, it was admitted in the senate that instead of the 20,000 or 12,000 planes the aircraft board had promised to send to France by July 1, only 37 will be shipped according to the present schedule. Testifying before the senate committee, Gen. Leonard Wood told of the crying need for airplanes for the American expeditionary forces now on the other side.

On Thursday Senator Overman aroused the senate by making the positive statement that German spies were employed in the Curtiss airplane plant at Buffalo, and that their work had delayed the making of planes for months. These spies, he said, had weakened joints in the planes so that they collapsed, and he exhibited one of the parts so tampered with to prove his assertion. Mr. Overman advocated that the government commander the Curtiss plant and turn out every one of its present employees.

Following the debate in the senate the shipping board issued a statement of its work, showing that since it began its activities 188 vessels have been launched of which 103 have been completed and put into service. Of the launches, 103 were requisitioned vessels and 23 were built for the board on contract in new yards. Eleven of the launches were wood. "Quantity production will win the war, and that is what we are getting," said Chairman Hurley. Negotiations for the transfer of 150,000 tons of Japanese shipping to the United States have been completed, and it is understood much more will follow.

The government, and Great Britain and France as well, continue to emphasize the fact that the basis of victory for the allied cause is an adequate supply of shipping, for America's armies must be transported to France, food and munitions for them and for the allies must be taken over, and for these purposes ships must be provided much faster than the German U-boats can sink them.

The latest report of the British admiralty shows an increase in the number of larger vessels sunk by submarines.

As a spur to American activity and enthusiasm, Premier Lloyd George sent to Lord Reading, British ambassador, an appeal for urgent haste in American troop movements to France. This Lord Reading read at a banquet in his honor in New York. "It is impossible," said the premier's cablegram, "to exaggerate the importance of getting American reinforcements across the Atlantic in the shortest possible time."

In the German-infested regions of the country the enemy aliens and traitors were unable to restrain their joy over the German drive, and in consequence there were many arrests. It is to be hoped that at least some of the additionalists will be severely punished, but in view of the mild treatment given most of them the hope is rather faint. Americans the country over are growing decidedly impatient with the kid-glove method of handling the spies and traitors who are caught. The feeling that many of them should be stood up before a wall and shot is prevalent, and the action of impulsive patriots in certain sections makes it plain that it would be easy to revive the Vigilantes of the old days on the Pacific coast and clean up the whole necessary crew. The genuine spy commands a certain amount of respect, his work being recognized in a certain measure as a part of warfare, but there can be only contempt for the disloyal American citizen, whether he be pacifist, E. W. W., senator or plain civilian.

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## COUNTY COURT, PORTAGE COUNTY, WISCONSIN—IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the will of Mike Olshack, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that at a Special term of county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Stevens Point in said county on the third Tuesday (being the 16th day) of April, A. D. 1918, at the opening of court on that day, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of R. K. McDonald, executor of the will of Mike Olshack, deceased, late of Stevens Point in said county, for the examination and allowance of his final account, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate of said deceased to such persons as are by law (or by the terms of said will) entitled thereto; and for the determination and adjudication of the inheritance tax, if any, payable in said estate.

Dated this 20th day of March, A. D. 1918.

By the Court.  
John A. Murat, County Judge  
Fisher & Cashin,  
Attorneys for the Executor

(First pub. Feb. 20—Ins. 7)

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court in and for the county of Portage, state of Wisconsin, upon a judgment rendered in the circuit court of Portage county, before G. L. Park, justice of the peace, on the 29th day of December, 1916, and duly transcribed and docketed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county and state on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1917, in an action wherein L. P. Moen, as administrator of the estate of J. M. Kluck, also known as Joseph Kluckowski, is plaintiff, and Frank Zenda is defendant, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, for the sum of \$196.55 damages and costs, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county, title and interest of the said defendant, Frank Zenda, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The west half of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4 NW 1/4) and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter (NW 1/4 SW 1/4) of section 23, township 25, north of range 9, east in said county and state.

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned as sheriff as aforesaid will sell the above described real property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the west front door of the county court house in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, state of Wisconsin on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1918, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon on that day to satisfy the said execution, together with interest and costs thereon.

Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1918.  
John F. Kubisiak,  
Sheriff of Portage Co., Wis.

(First pub. Feb. 20—Ins. 7)

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court in and for the county of Portage, state of Wisconsin, upon a judgment rendered in the circuit court of Portage county and filed and docketed in the office of the clerk of said court in said county and state on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1918, in an action wherein A. L. Smorganski is plaintiff and Joseph Czerwinski and Theodore (Theodor) Ostrowski are defendants, in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendants, for the sum of \$511.89 damages and costs, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county, interest of the said defendants, Joseph Czerwinski, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter (W 1/2 SW 1/4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of section 19, and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirty, township 25, north of range 10 east, situated in said county and state.

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned as sheriff as aforesaid will sell the above described real property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the west front door of the county court house in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, state of Wisconsin on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1918, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon on that day to satisfy the said execution, together with interest and costs thereon.

Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1918.  
John F. Kubisiak,  
Sheriff of Portage Co., Wis.

(Feb. 13—Ins. 7)

State of Wisconsin—In Circuit Court

—Portage County.

Nick Bruski, plaintiff, vs. Stillson Hackett, Martin Perkins, Anson Rood, Jonathan Spooner, Ralph R. Briggs, George Blodgett, M. Ralston, and wives and unknown wives of said defendants and Margaret M. Park and the unknown heirs of all of said defendants. Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendants and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure to so do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served on you.

Fisher & Cashin,  
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Postoffice address: Stevens Point, Portage county, Wisconsin.

Note: The verified complaint in above entitled action is on file in the office of clerk of the circuit court for Portage county, Wisconsin, and said action affects the title to the South-east quarter of the Northeast quarter except a strip one (1) rod wide over and across the North end of said forty (40) used for right-of-way purposes and the East twenty-eight (28) acres of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, all in section twenty-four (24) township twenty-five (25) north of range eight (8) east, and lot seven (7) section nineteen (19) township twenty-five (25) north of range nine (9) east in Portage county, Wisconsin.

(First pub. Feb. 20—Ins. 7)

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court in and for the county of Portage, state of Wisconsin, upon a judgment rendered in the circuit court of Portage county and duly docketed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county and state on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1912, in an action wherein Pabst Brewing Co., a Wisconsin corporation, is plaintiff, and Joseph Czerwinski is defendant, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, for the sum of \$225.22 damages and \$35.76 costs, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff in and for said county, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, Joseph Czerwinski, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter (W 1/2 SE 1/4) and the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of section 24, township 25, north of range nine (9) east, situated in said county and state.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, as sheriff as aforesaid, will sell the above described real estate to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the west front door of the county court house in the city of Stevens Point, Portage county, state of Wisconsin, on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1918, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon on that day to satisfy the said execution, together with interest and costs thereon.

Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1918.  
John F. Kubisiak,  
Sheriff of Portage Co., Wis.

(Feb. 20—Ins. 7)

State of Wisconsin—In Circuit Court

—Portage County.

George W. Miller, Plaintiff, vs. Zimri Butterfield; Clarence M. Butterfield, sole heir at law of Eugene Butterfield, deceased; Southwick-Sellers Land Company; George H. Al-

tenburg, F. A. Southwick and A. E. Redfield, assignees of Southwick-Sellers Land Company; Ellen L. Sellers in her own right; George H. Altenburg, trustee, and Anna M. Ross, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale in said action entered in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendants on the 13th day of February, 1917, which was docketed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court on said day, I, the undersigned sheriff of Portage county, Wisconsin, will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the West front door of the Court House in the city of Stevens Point in said county and state on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1918, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the right, title and interest of the defendants in the following described premises named in said judgment, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to raise the amount due the plaintiff for principal, interest and costs, including the costs of this action, to-wit: the South West Quarter of the South East Quarter and all that part of the South East Quarter of the South West Quarter lying East of the main channel of the big Plover River as it now runs through said forty, containing sixty (60) acres more or less according to the Government survey, less the Wisconsin Central right of way, all in Section Thirty-four (34), Township Twenty-four (24), North of Range Eight (8) East.

Dated at Stevens Point, Wisconsin, February 15, 1918.

John F. Kubisiak, Sheriff of Portage County, Wisconsin.  
Fisher & Cashin,  
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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# TOWN AND VILLAGE ELECTIONS TUESDAY

## Results of Local Contests In Portage County Reported Up To This Afternoon

The following results were recorded in the town and village elections held in the county Tuesday so far as they had been reported up to 3:30 o'clock this afternoon:

**Auburn**—Chairman, Carl Becker; supervisors, Martin Engstrom, Albert Glick; clerk, Gustav Halverson; treasurer, Anton Dager; assessor, Nick Ignara.

**Amherst**—Town Chairman, Bert Shanklin; supervisors, John Elbert, Anton Everson; clerk, M. A. Fleming; treasurer, Louis Miller; assessor, Frank Makowski.

**Amherst Village**—President, A. I. Rounds; trustees, C. M. Dwinell, John H. Johnson; treasurer, F. O. Adams; assessor, J. E. Peterson; constables, S. Mirat, constable, J. J. Stenke; supervisor, L. J. Ca.

**Barab**—Village—President, Felix J. Stenke; trustees, H. J. Stenke; clerk, J. P. Stenke; treasurer, O. A. N. Stenke; assessor, M. P. Kier; justices, J. J. Stenke, M. P. Kier; constables, W. J. Miller; supervisor, Geo. Starks.

**Buena Vista**—Chairman, John A. Derry; supervisors, Charles H. Dorsch, Ira Barden; clerk, Fred H. Huntley; treasurer, Geo. Corrigan; assessor, Charles Scribner; justice, S. Whittaker; constables, William Barden, John Polly.

**Carson**—Chairman, Walter Campbell; supervisors, Joe Lamers, Peter Shelia; clerk, Martin Sweeney; treasurer, John VanErt; assessor, D. F. Olds; justices, Ed. Fox, Anton Gilka; constables, Joe Stelzer, Roman Winkler.

**Eau Claire**—Chairman, George Wolf, Sr.; supervisors, Theo. Dimka, Edward S. Thorpe; clerk, Gustav Borth, Sr.; treasurer, Otto L. Mayer; assessor, Olaf Berg; justices, Charles G. Swanson, Gustav Borth, Sr.; constables, William Koch, P. O. Virum, Gunar Berg.

**Hull**—Chairman, Jos. Laszewski; supervisors, Anton Meshak, Steve Czewski; clerk, John G. Marchel; treasurer, Felix Tetzloff; assessor, Jos. Weisbrod; constable, A. Zimbarer.

**Junction City**—Chairman, George Stertz; clerk, Henry Rux; treasurer, Jacob Skibba; assessor, William Arians; constable, Frank Skibba.

**Lanark**—Chairman, Wm. Loftis; supervisors, Fred Hebblewhite, Chas. Madsen; clerk, M. R. McGregor; treasurer, John F. Morgan; assessor, N. R. Perkins; justices, Pat Gray, E. R. Lea; constables, Robt. Shanklin, Will Warner.

**Linwood**—Chairman, Edmon Frost; supervisors, Ed. Barden, Frank Jakusz; clerk, Fred Giese; treasurer, Nick Britz; assessor, John Giese; justices, Chas. Kakuschke, Wm. Boettcher; constables, M. Stremkowski, Fred Kunde.

**New Hope**—Chairman, Ben Halverson; supervisors, Casper Stoltenberg, Melvin Rustad; clerk, M. K. Hanson; treasurer, A. M. Wroldstad; assessor, Oscar Wroldstad.

**Plover**—Village—President, L. E. Pierce; trustees, J. F. Maxfield, F. Skinner; clerk, M. C. Skinner; treasurer, Felix Lila; assessor, W. J. Calkins; justice, W. Moore; constable, A. La Blanc; supervisor, F. E. Halladay.

**Town of Plover**—Chairman, D. H. Parks; supervisors, Frank Altenburg, George Cartmill; clerk, W. H. Calkins; treasurer, Bert G. Fox; assessor, John Porter; justices, Fred Fox 2 years, Edgar Williams 1 year; con-

stables, A. F. Else, Thomas Hodgson, Harry Slack.  
**Stockton**—Chairman, F. A. Lukaszewicz; supervisors, John Gligowski, Anton Cera; clerk, Alex Kluck; treasurer, J. P. Lukasewicz; assessor, A. J. Kubisiak.

**Sharon**—Chairman, John F. Glogowski; supervisors, John M. Wunsorski, Frank Shulist; clerk, John Kabat; treasurer, J. J. Omornik; assessor, Teofil Czech; justices, Baldus Baker, Victor Becker; constables, Nick Kuttel, Alex Goreck.

### Local Notes

Chas. Dorsha of Bancroft was in the city today.

Hastings McGill, who has been spending several months with his parents in Escanaba, Mich., and Leno, was returned for a visit to his old home at Medell last week and is also visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Harvey Willard in this city.

Mrs. W. O. Lamoreux, who had been at Marinette with her daughter, Miss Nellie, saw the close of the Christmas vacation, returned home last week. She was accompanied by the father, who remained until Monday, when she returned to Marinette to resume her work as a teacher in the training school there.

### THE WOMAN'S CLUB

"The Backward Child" was the subject of a thoroughly instructive talk given by Prof. R. W. Fairchild of the Normal faculty before the meeting of the Woman's club at the library hall last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. M. M. Ames was chairman of the educational day program. The first number was a baritone solo by C. W. Eagleburger, who responded to an encore.

Mr. Fairchild's talk dealt with the reasons for the child being backward, and said there are two types of defective children, mental and physical, and dwelt largely upon the physically defective. The work of Arthur W. Holmes, a personal friend of the speaker's, and who is now president of the State College of Philadelphia, was cited and practical suggestions for helping the backward child to become normal, as experienced by Mr. Holmes, were related.

Miss Isabelle Horne, teacher in the ungraded room of the Jefferson school, explained in a very specific manner the purpose of the "Ungraded Room." Each individual child is given instruction in the branch in which he is deficient, and usually there are about as many types of children in the ungraded room as there are pupils. The home surroundings are often responsible for the incapacity of the child, and it is the endeavor of the teacher to inspire higher ideals in order to overcome the defects.

The closing number on the program was a piano solo by Miss Marie Viertel, who responded to an encore.

The bi-ennial meeting of women's clubs will be held at Hot Springs, Ark., and Mrs. M. D. Vinkle was elected at this time to represent the local club.

### She Won't

Though fortune waits,  
'Tis very wrong  
To think that she  
Will wait for long.

### Passing Responsibility Along

"Studying economy?"  
"Yes, I have found so many ways in which other people can effect a saving that I don't see much necessity for stirring myself to speak of."

### The Saddest Sound

"There's no telling what crazy notions poets will get."  
"True enough."  
"Here's one who chirps about the music of the dentist's drill."

**His Pliant**  
"I'll have to do one of two things."  
"What's the matter?"  
"It's up to me now either to wire for my wife to come home or wash a kitchen sink full of dishes. I've absolutely run out of crockery."

**Real Strategy**  
"Cook got the children interested in a war game this morning. She suggested they should play they were in a battle, and shell the enemies."  
"Who were the enemies?"  
"The peas."

**Seems That Way**  
"Pop!"  
"Yes, my son."  
"Why does a cow chew at night?"  
"Well, my boy, a cow takes food during the day and then chews her cud at night."

"But, my pop, that's hoarding food, ain't it?"  
"Yonkers Statesman."

**She Explains**  
"You never wind your wrist watch."  
"Well, what of it?"  
"What's the use of wearing a wrist watch that keeps no time?"  
"I wear it as a bracelet as well as a watch," said the girl.

**Wise for His Years**  
Tommy had been promoted by the chemist. He was now allowed to serve behind the counter. The other morning a middle-aged lady, looking her full age, came in.  
"Have you any cream for restoring the complexion?" she asked bashfully.  
Tommy with a wise lad. He eyed her too vivid cheeks with open admiration.  
"Pardon me, madam," he said politely. "Don't you mean cream for preserving the complexion?"  
And the delighted lady bought six boxes right away.

**D. F. Meyer and Stanley Esidor** were Bevent callers Saturday.  
Miss Clara Pliska visited with her brother at Galloway last week.  
Viggo Rahbek made a business trip to Stevens Point Thursday.  
Wm. Moll of Stevens Point spent Sunday with Rev. Nowak here.  
Miss Agnes Esidor was on the sick list the first part of the week.  
George Wolding of New Hope was a business caller in town Tuesday.  
John Narloch of Bevent spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Katie Esidor.

A sailor, Bennie Zielienski, is visiting with home folks during his furlough.

Miss Selma Tripkowski is working at Nelson & Lunds' store at Galloway.

Miss Alice Lee of Waupaca came up Friday to spend Easter vacation with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dehlinger and children and Miss Grace Esidor were Stevens Point callers Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Pond, who has been staying at the Firkus place, returned to her home at Polonia Thursday.

Ovid Meyers, Roy Warner and Miss Mary Skelly, students at Stevens Point, spent Easter vacation with home folks.

John Gietowski, a soldier boy who has been home for a few days' furlough, left for the training camp Friday morning.

Miss Irene Hite, who had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Roy Hennick of Royalton, returned to her home here Tuesday.

Stanley Esidor, Miss Otelia Peterson, Leon Narloch and Nick Kruzinski were Bevent callers Sunday. Leon stayed there for a few days.

Florian Jozwiak, who visited with his aunt, Mrs. Katie Esidor, the latter part of last week and first of this week, returned to his home in Hatley Tuesday.

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**  
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**ROSHOLT**  
Mike Stanislawski is the owner of a new Ford car.  
Mrs. Julius Kostuch visited at Wausau a few days.  
Norman Torgerson of Galloway was a visitor this week.  
Stanley Esidor and Leon Narloch spent the first of the week with relatives in Hatley.  
Miss Una Daye spent the Easter vacation with her sister, Mrs. Bartel Johnson at Amherst.

**Model Numbers in New**

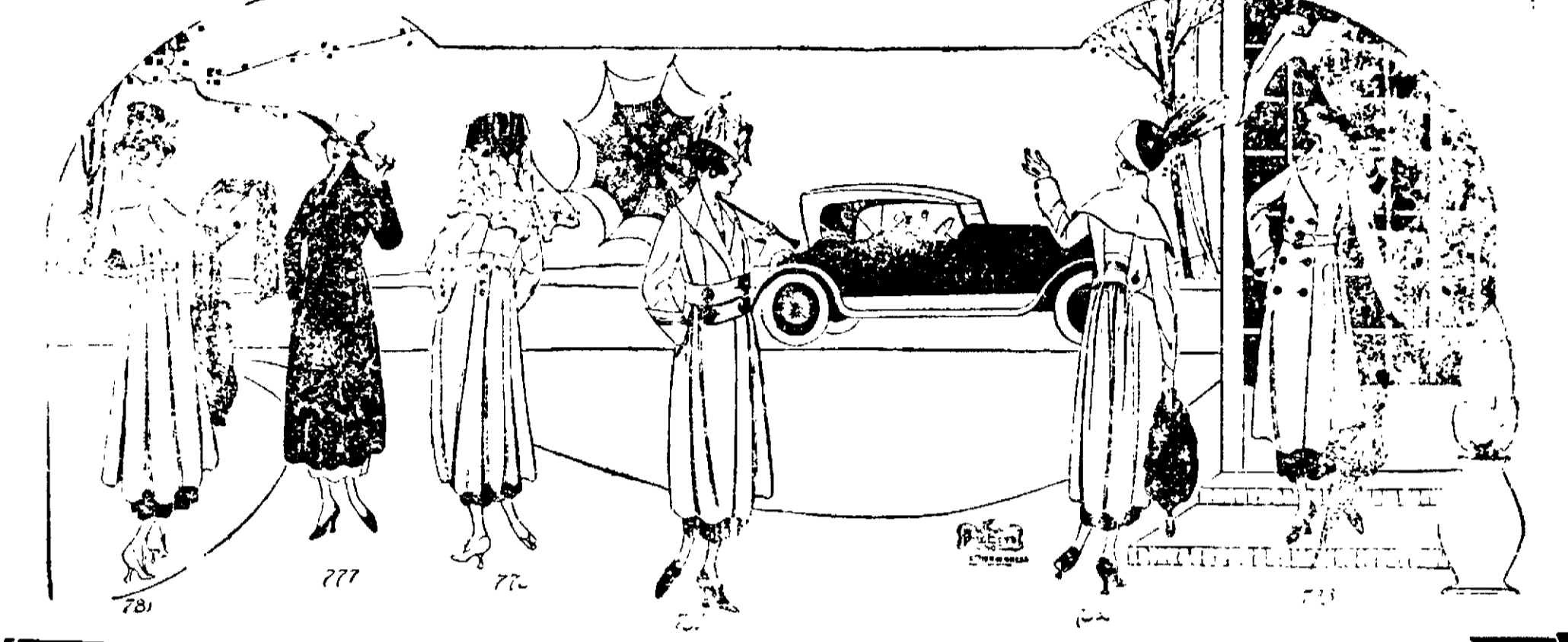
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## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

PERSONAL AND OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST GATHERED  
BY THE GAZETTE'S CORRESPONDENTS

### AMHERST

Byron Couch of Fond du Lac is visiting at home.

Mrs. P. N. Peterson entertained the 500 club on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. F. H. Cramer and son Paul visited Oshkosh relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Bartel Johnson entertained a party of friends on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Calkins of Amherst Junction autoed to Amherst on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and little daughter were Amherst visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Murat visited with relatives in Stevens Point Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odin Christensen and children of Nelsonville were Amherst visitors on Sunday.

Miss Olga Murat visited her home on Sunday.

Mrs. Murat teaches in the Rosholt schools.

Mrs. Ray Hutt left Saturday for her home in Milwaukee after a visit with Amherst relatives.

Miss Minnie Gasmann who teaches at Greenbush, Wis., is at her home for a short Easter vacation.

Miss Inga Mjelda left on Saturday for her home in Norske, to remain with her parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rounds spent a part of last week in Wausau, on a combined business and pleasure trip.

A. L. Rounds and Dr. Frank Metcalf autoed to Blaine Sunday to see Wm. Rasmussen, who is on the sick list.

Miss Irma Cramer spent her Easter vacation days with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cramer of Hewitt.

Mrs. R. L. Peterson very pleasantly entertained a large party of the younger married set at her home Thursday evening.

Lambert Nelson, who is employed in the Four Wheel Drive factory at Clintonville, spent a few hours with his mother, Mrs. Mary Nelson, on Sunday.

Mrs. A. P. Een returned on Wednesday from a visit with Stevens Point friends. While there she joined the order of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

S. E. Sanders and family of Almond spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Sanders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wilson. Mrs. Wilson autoed home with them for a few days' visit.

Harold Munchow has answered the call of the draft, and Amherst people are sorry to see the "shoe hospital" closed. They also regret to lose this popular young violinist from our midst.

Fred Hebblewhite, one of the prominent farmers from the town of Lanark, went to Stevens Point Thursday in the interests of the third Liberty Loan, he being on the committee for his district.

William Peterson, who has filled the position of butter maker at the Lone Star creamery for the past seven years, resigned last Wednesday and left for Spokane, Washington, where he will fill a like position.

Mrs. K. R. Thompson received a message Sunday evening announcing the death of her daughter, Mrs. Everett Russell of Ogdensburg, Wis. Mrs. Russell had been ill for two years with tuberculosis and her death was not a surprise.

sau, where she spent the Easter vacation.

Rodney Calkins entertained about twenty of his young friends Easter Sunday afternoon, the occasion being his birthday anniversary.

Thomas Wilcox returned to Stevens Point Monday to resume his studies at the Normal after enjoying the Easter vacation at his home here.

Mr. Carlson has moved his family here from Chicago and they will make Knowlton their home, having purchased a valuable piece of local property.

Howard McLaughlin, after spending the past several years here as bookkeeper and stenographer for the Union Tanning Co., has left for Rib Lake, where he has accepted a similar position with the same company.

Private Julius Koss arrived from Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., Saturday morning for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koss, before being transferred to New Jersey. Julius has recently received a promotion to firstclass private.

Several important real estate transfers have been made at Knowlton the past week. The farm of 600 acres owned by J. W. Foster of Glandon was purchased by V. Vlosik. Mr. Vlosik recently moved here from Milwaukee. The farm of the late George Hoffman was sold to Jim Barvetts, and B. Briggs also sold his farm property.

### AMHERST JUNCTION

Mrs. Jas. Dineen did shopping in Stevens Point last Monday.

Chas. Rickman, Sr., and wife spent a few days last week at Auburndale, disposing of their farm.

Guy Larson returned from Milwaukee last week, where he was employed during the winter months.

Charlie Rickman was called into U. S. military service last Friday and left that day for Rockford, Ill.

Miss Josephine Calkins disposed of her farm lately to Chas. Rickman, Sr., the consideration being \$10,000.

George Starks and Wm. J. Leary of Amherst spent last week in Indianapolis, Ind., on real estate business.

Ben Domach returned the latter part of last week from a trip to Chicago, where he visited relatives and viewed the many sights of the big city.

Mrs. Geo. Starks spent last week in Madison visiting relatives and attending to business affairs. She is heir to a large amount of property which was left to her by a wealthy aunt.

Friends were very sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Otis Olson last week Monday morning. Her home was a couple miles from here. A baby son was born Sunday and Mrs. Olson seemed to be in good health until next morning, when she suddenly died of heart trouble. Mr. and Mrs. Olson were married ten years and this was the first child in their family. On Wednesday morning she was taken to her mother's home in Adams county where the body was laid to rest. Mr. Olson has the sympathy of friends in losing this loving partner, whose help he will greatly miss. The child is living and in good health.

### BANCROFT

George Pike came home from Clintonville Saturday.

Martin Manley and S. F. Kollock got new Ford Saturday.

Joe Adams was numbered with the sick the first of the week.

Joe Casper went to Stevens Point Saturday to visit a few days.

August Woyach of Finley was looking after his property here last Thursday.

Carl Gustin has rented the Bancroft garage and is already to repair your auto.

Fred Morgan of Almond visited his sons Henry and Ensign here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gustin and children visited relatives at Westfield Saturday.

C. E. Hutchinson transacted business in Stevens Point Friday and Saturday.

P. J. Bresnahan of Stevens Point was attending business here last Wednesday.

Anthony McIntee of Almond visited his brother Ed. and family here last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Loomer of Endeavor visited at Jesse Judd's home recently.

V. P. Atwell of Stevens Point was looking after his property here last Thursday.

Miss Addie Brooks of Wild Rose visited Mrs. Angeline Summers the past week.

Lloyd Mathis of Grand Rapids was attending to business here the first of the week.

Miss Elsie Weller of Coddington visited the W. H. Green home the end of the week.

Miss Anna Russell came down from Stevens Point, where she is attending Normal, to spend Easter vacation

### KNOWLTON

Mrs. Herman Hintz visited at Wausau Saturday.

Miss Hesper Darran of Necedah is here for a two weeks' stay.

Mrs. Harry Keenan has returned from a week's visit at Chicago.

Elmer Berg of Marshfield was a Sunday guest of Knowlton friends.

Miss Eva Gogay left Friday night for Green Bay, being called there by the death of a friend.

Mrs. Edna Sparhawk, a teacher at Mannville, was here for over Sunday.

The ladies of the Red Cross Society will meet with Mrs. F. C. Odenwalder Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Swiatlaski and sons, Stannie and Andrew, were business visitors at Wausau Saturday.

Miss Minnie Halder was down from Wausau one day last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Lavenhagen.

N. Winslow of Abbotford spent the past several days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. C. Odenwalder.

Miss Louise Guenther returned Monday night from her home at Wau-

with her home folks in the town of Almond.

Mrs. Minnie Kollock and daughter Louise have returned to their farm for the summer.

Geo. B. Fox and W. E. Gustin of Plainfield were business visitors to our village Monday.

Frank Felch left for Starks last Friday, where he will be employed during the spring.

Mrs. M. G. Wood and Oral Wood went to Grand Rapids Friday and consulted Dr. Ruckle.

Mrs. Hansen of Wausau visited her daughter Mabel at the Martin Manley home over Sunday.

Miss Esther Sitzer of Clintonville visited Miss Bourn last Friday at the R. S. Waterman home.

Miss Alfred of Granite Heights was a guest of Miss Hansen at the Martin Manley home over Easter.

Mrs. George Ameigh came home from Fond du Lac last Thursday, much improved in health.

Miss Marie Rogers spent the past week in Grand Rapids, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gardner.

C. O. Potter has sold his house and lots to Frank Doolittle. Mr. Potter intends going west soon.

The M. Ives Flanagan Bourn and Maude Rice spent Easter at their respective homes in Stevens Point.

Mrs. Jennie Rice of South Byron was the guest of her daughter, Miss Maude Rice, last Friday afternoon.

Miss Bernice Riley of Stevens Point visited friends here the first of the week and attended the Easter dance.

Mrs. T. J. Brown and Mrs. Charles Brooks of Stevens Point visited Mrs. Angeline Radcliffe last Wednesday.

Pete Adams, who spent the past seven weeks in St. Agnes' hospital at Fond du Lac, came home Saturday.

Miss Sadie Riley was an over Sunday visitor at R. S. Waterman's, returning to Almond Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Rhinehart Holtz of Almond visited at the George Felch home Sunday.

Mrs. George Felch went to Almond last week to see her daughter, Mrs. Morris Burgess, who was ill with tonsillitis.

Mrs. L. C. French and daughter Carol of Fond du Lac visited Mr. French at the Carl Gustin home over Sunday.

Miss Beth Davis, who was one of our teachers last year and is now teaching at Dunbar, visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Angeline Summers, after spending the winter with relatives near Wild Rose, returned to her home here the past week.

Mrs. N. W. Haskins of Coddington visited at James Manley's last Wednesday and attended the farewell meeting for Mrs. Radcliffe.

C. W. Manley, P. E. Webster, R. S. Rogers and Wm. Ragan went to Wausau Monday to investigate the A. C. A. Gil. Ellis made the trip with them.

A large crowd attended the David Radcliffe sale, held Thursday, and everything brought a good price. The farm has been rented to Frank Chase for a year.

The Misses Hayward, Dill and Floral Ostrum visited the Harold Ostrum home Saturday evening, enroute to Grand Rapids, where they are teaching school.

Remember, we have preaching service at the church every Monday evening. Come and bring your friends. Rev. Hanson of Grand Rapids delivers the sermons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. Cronkhite went to Stevens Point Saturday evening to spend Easter Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gillett.

Fred E. Gustin received word that his father, John Gustin, had been operated on at St. Agnes' hospital in Fond du Lac for gall bladder trouble. At last reports Mr. Gustin was doing nicely.

Don't forget the Red Cross meeting every Saturday afternoon at M. W. A. hall. The demand for supplies is urgent and we need your help. You will enjoy the work and feel that you are helping in a small way to relieve some poor sufferer. Just the thought is beautiful. The work is a pleasure. Come next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Whittaker of Buena Vista spent from Thursday until Saturday at the Radcliffe home, assisting Mrs. Radcliffe in packing and shipping her household goods to Milwaukee. Mrs. Radcliffe left for the city Monday morning. David Radcliffe went Saturday to consult a doctor in regard to his rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Waterman spent Saturday afternoon in Stevens Point.

The Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. Angeline Radcliffe last Wednesday afternoon and to give Mrs. Radcliffe a farewell social previous to her departure for her new home in Milwaukee. The ladies kept coming in twos, or threes and in auto loads until about fifty friends and neighbors were present. Mrs. Radcliffe, thinking all the time what a splendid turnout to the Ladies' Aid but about 4:30 o'clock the surprise came when the provisions for supper, which had been left at a neighbor's home, arrived. The table was spread with delicacies to suit the king's taste, to which all did justice.

All wish Mrs. Radcliffe the best of life.

Miss Erma Pratt of Stevens Point spent Easter vacation at her parents' home.

Mr. Schmidt of Wausau, president of the American Co-operative Association, O. A. Stolen of Stevens Point, organizer for the association, and Mayor Walters of Stevens Point addressed the farmers of this locality last Friday afternoon in the interests of the A. C. A., with a desire of organizing a branch of the association here.

A committee of four of our leading farmers was appointed, namely: P. E. Webster, R. S. Rogers, C. W. Manley and Wm. Ragan, to go to Wausau, the headquarters of the organization, to investigate. This committee will report to the farmers at a meeting in M. W. A. hall Thursday evening, April 4th, to which all are invited. The object of this association is to sell the products of the farm to the consumer, thereby dispensing with the middleman. Much interest is being taken and we are awaiting developments.

### PLAINFIELD

Geo. Ellis was on the sick list the past week.

Geo. B. Fox spent Wednesday with relatives at Plover.

John Taylor was a business visitor to Wautoma Thursday.

J. A. Shipley was a business visitor to Westfield Wednesday.

E. G. Crowell and wife of Almond spent Thursday in Plainfield.

Mrs. G. D. Sargent spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Stevens Point.

B. J. Walker and family of Almond were Plainfield visitors Thursday.

W. A. Pierce and son arrived home Friday from a business trip to Chicago.

W. H. Potts was a business visitor to Grand Rapids and Nekeosa the past week.

Dr. R. W. Andrae arrived home Thursday from a several days' stay at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen have moved to the H. Porter house in the south part of town.

Mrs. Hattie Millington spent last week with relatives and friends at Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hurd arrived home Thursday, after spending the winter in Indiana.

A. L. Wilson of Ladysmith was a guest of friends and relatives here the past two weeks.

Alonso Matthews of Barnum was a guest of his brother, Orlando and family the past week.

Rex Rothermel left Friday for New Jersey, after a two weeks visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. P. J. Bresnahan of Stevens Point was a guest of Plainfield friends the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Youngs went to Green Bay last week, where the latter underwent an operation.

Orlando Matthews, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia the past week, is reported as gaining nicely.

We are glad to announce that Miss Norma Roy, who was ill with pneumonia, is again able to attend school.

R. Bennett Borden returned to Madison Monday of last week, after a several days' visit at the parental home here.

Elzen Matthews came over from Friendship Saturday for a visit with his father, O. Matthews, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Detlor, who have spent the winter in our village, moved last week to the Vern Shaffer farm in Oasis.

W. A. Pierce purchased a Ford car of C. O. Gault the past week and C. Cohen purchased a Ford of H. Caves at Hancock.

F. A. Rothermel arrived home Friday for a visit with home folks and to attend the wedding of his daughter, Miss Adalyn.

Mrs. J. A. Covert of Stanley arrived Wednesday for an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. D. Sargent.

Miss Irma Gault of Minneapolis arrived Wednesday for an extended visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. J. Lamb and family.

G. D. Sargent attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Wisconsin Bankers' Association at Marshfield Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bound went to Green Bay last Monday, where Mr. Bound underwent an operation for appendicitis and at last reports was getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Acherson returned to their home at Evansville Monday, after a pleasant visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Max Weymouth and husband.

Clifford Jones of Hancock received his call for service the first of last week and left Thursday for a four months' training course in the aviation school at Champlain, Ill.

The Misses Margaret Walker, Ruth Starks and Florence Rowsam, who are attending the Normal at Stevens Point, arrived home Friday to spend Easter with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gustin went to Fond du Lac last Tuesday and on Wednesday Mr. Gustin underwent an operation for gall stones. At last report he was getting along nicely.

Mrs. Kate Milne arrived home last week from a three months' stay with her sister at La Crosse. While there she took medical treatment and we are glad to report her as much improved in health.

Word from Sgt. Leon F. Worden, who is "somewhere in France," states that he is well and happy and is now located in one of America's largest aviation camps and that they are beginning to do some real flying.

Word from Lieut. D. D. Fox now

locates him at Camp Taylor, Ky., having been assigned to Co. G, 333rd Infantry, and is enjoying army life and the fine spring weather. He says they are all getting anxious to go across.

Word from Camp Dodge, Iowa, announces that Capt. F. R. Borden has again been promoted, this time to the position of Major and is now in full charge of the medical detachment at that place. Plainfield friends extend congratulations.

F. G. Pierce and family of Princeton were Plainfield visitors last week and we understand that they expect to return to Plainfield in the near future to make their home. Plainfield people will extend to them a hearty welcome.

We are glad to hear that Dr. W. R. Cashin, formerly a dentist in our village, is now making good and that he is now Captain and chief dental surgeon at Rich aviation field at Waco, Texas. This will be good news to his many friends here, who join with us in extending congratulations.

### PLOVER

Elizabeth Barnsdale of Hancock visited Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. W. Briggs will entertain the Busy Stitchers on Thursday, April 4th.

Hazel Calkins, who attends the Whitewater Normal, spent Easter vacation at home.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. J. F. Maxfield last Thursday. The proceeds were \$5.35.

Frances Barnsdale returned to her school at Wild Rose Monday after a few days' vacation at home.

H. N. Warner and wife expect to leave the latter part of this week for their new home in Ontonagon, Mich.

Mrs. Chas. Whitechurch and son Walter of Minnesota visited a couple of days last week with her brother, J. F. Maxfield.

Mrs. Alice Washburn returned home last week after spending the winter in Mobile, Ala., with her daughter, Mrs. Eva Lull.

Mrs. Hammond Coddington entertained about sixty neighbors and friends at her home near Keene at a parcel shower for Bertha Sterling.

Miss Mary Neuberger returned to her home in Stevens Point Monday after being employed as nurse at the Wm. Carley home for the past year.

### RUDOLPH

Raymond Crotteau was on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Oliver Akey is nursing a very painful felon on her thumb.

Mrs. Oliver Akey spent Sunday with relatives at Junction City.

Martin Joosten spent the week end at Little Chute, Outagamie county.

The Misses Helen and Mary Kujawa spent Easter Sunday at Stevens Point.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rayome of Port Edwards were Sunday visitors at the L. Rayome home.

Albert and Joe Peters were called to Little Chute, Saturday, because of the death of their aged mother.

Lester Rayome left for Batteneau, N. D., last Thursday, being called there to report for military duty.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Slattery, Monday, March 25th. All concerned doing nicely.

A very large crowd attended the Easter dance here Monday evening, given in the Haumchild hall by the Speltz brothers orchestra.

Anthony Johnson, who lives in the town of Carson, has rented his farm

to Edward Bringham and will move to Grand Rapids to make his home.

The ladies of the Catholic church are busy these days, preparing for a grand bazaar to be given in the near future. Tickets are being sold on some beautiful articles which were donated for that purpose.

E. L. Mangold of Appleton, state organizer for the Catholic Order of Foresters, was here last week securing members and during his stay enrolled twenty that will be initiated soon. Rev. Philip Wagner and Wm. Coonen assisted Mr. Mangold in his good work.

### WEST EAU PLEINE

Adolph Larson of Camp Grant spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Anna Larson.

China Mission meeting will take place at the home of Anton Anderson next Friday evening.

Miss C. Albans spent Easter at Stevens Point. Her school had Monday off for vacation.

Al Swanson of Minnesota has been visiting his father, John Swanson and other relatives for a couple of weeks.

A number of our people drove to Junction City last Sunday afternoon and enjoyed a good Easter program at the M. E. church.

The Swedish Sunday school will commence again next Sunday morning. An English class will be organized for the benefit of those who do not understand the Swedish language.

The quilt raffle and lunch held at the Pitt school last Sunday afternoon was a huge success and as a result \$45.80 was turned over to the Red Cross auxiliary at Junction City, with which to purchase supplies. The quilt which was made by the West Eau Pleine ladies, was first awarded to E. A. Bernhagen, who then put it up at auction and it was bid in by G. Berg, who paid \$5.75 for it. The latter, who has three sons in the service of Uncle Sam, wishing to swell the proceeds, again put it up to the highest bidder, and it was taken by his son, B. Berg, for \$5.00. The ladies who had the affair in charge are very grateful to all who patronized them Sunday afternoon.

### ALMOND

Mrs. R. A. Fletcher is much better at this writing.

Willie Tracy was a Grand Rapids caller last week.

Mrs. O. E. Carpenter and son Edwin attended church at Lanark Sunday.

Earl and Ellen Olson of Wild Rose spent the week end at John F. Smith's.

Earl Olson and Miss Nell Smith and Ellen Olson attended church services at Lanark Sunday.

Oscar and Fred Helback, who attend school in Stevens Point, spent the week end at their home here.

Miss Nell Smith, teacher in district No. 3, resumed her school work Monday after a three weeks' vacation.

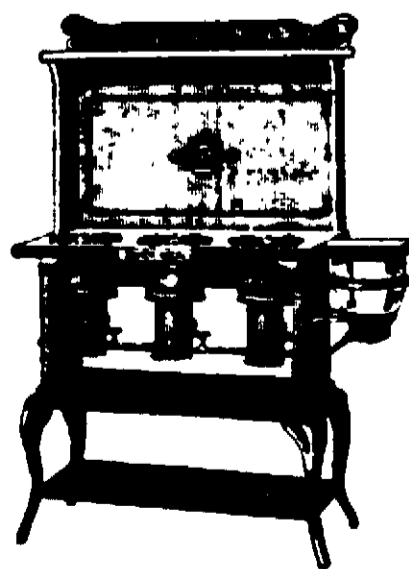
Dr. Twohig of Fond du Lac was called to the Nick Burns home last week to see Mr. Burns, who has been sick for some time.

### FIRE AT PLANING MILL

The prompt arrival of fire company No. 1 checked with practically no loss a blaze that might have been costly at the planing mill of the John Week Lumber Co. at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning. The fire originated between the engine room boiler and the shaving pit. It was extinguished in quick time.

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## THIRTEEN SELECTMEN GO TO CAMP GRANT

Fourth Congress of Portage County  
Elected Men Depart  
Friday

Waukegan, Wis., April 2.—The thirteen selectmen of Portage county, Wis., who were elected to the fourth congress of the county, departed for Camp Grant, Ill., today. The group included: Walter B. Dumbarton, city; Alf E. Boring, Grand Rapids, R. 7; Ed. J. Jock, Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Anderson of this city, who was originally selected as one of the thirteen and came all the way from Mankato, Minn., where he was making his headquarters as representative of the "Certified Products Co." to leave with the others. Thursday night he was taken suddenly ill with what was diagnosed as "Liberty" measles (formerly called German measles) and as a result his name was stricken from the list. Walter B. Dumbarton was then notified of his liability for immediate service and took Anderson's place.

Waukegan county's quota on this call was eight men. One of those chosen went to the camp from Chicago and another from Scandinavia.

The Portage and Waukegan county men who went via Stevens Point were met at Montello by five Marquette county selectmen. From Portage to Rockford the men traveled over the Milwaukee road, reaching the latter city at 9:50 o'clock Friday night.

A. E. Bourn, secretary of the local exemption board, and F. W. Leahy accompanied the men to camp and stopped off at Chicago on their way back. They returned home Monday night.

### LOYALTY MEETING THURSDAY

Ex-Congressman Henry Vollmer of Iowa addressed an enthusiastic meeting in the Armory in Stevens Point last Thursday evening in the interests of the candidacy of Joseph E. Davies for United States senator. Mr. Vollmer's parents were born in Germany and his appeal for support of Mr. Davies as a loyal American was directed largely to citizens of German blood. He declared that Mr. Davies was the logical choice for senator because of his known ability and his standing with the administration. Preceding Mr. Vollmer's address, Casimir Gonski of Milwaukee, a well known Polish attorney, gave a stirring loyalty talk in which he refrained entirely from utterances that might be construed as any way partisan. Mr. Gonski dwelt particularly on the manner in which Polish residents of the United States have backed up the government in the prosecution of the war and vigorously assailed the Prussianized government of Germany, in which country he was born. He mentioned the fact that a quarter of a century ago, while a student at the University of Wisconsin, he gave an address in Stevens Point. John W. Brown presided at the meeting and introduced the speakers.

### APPEAL FOR LOYALTY

Speakers at Public Meeting Friday  
Evening Point Out Needs of  
the Hour

Dr. D. O. Kinsman of Appleton was the principal speaker at the first public meeting under the auspices of the Stevens Point chapter of the Wisconsin Loyalty League, held at the Portage Hotel last Friday evening. The speaker, in his many other duties, has been busy upon the subject of loyalty, but it made up for his absence what it lacked in size.

Mr. Kinsman was introduced by John W. Brown, president of the local chapter. He spoke briefly of the loyalty league, its objects and its purpose. Dr. Kinsman gave a strikingly patriotic address, appealing for a united front against the enemies of the democratic ideal.

George B. Nelson took issue with those who say Wisconsin is disloyal, pointing to the state's record in furnishing troops for the army and navy and to the support of the Red Cross. A. M. C. A. and other similar movements and the Liberty Loan campaign to provide money for the war effort. He attributed the disloyal impression that has gone out from the state to the attitude of those who are called leaders who misrepresent Wisconsin. He said one of the objects of the Wisconsin Loyalty League was to do away with that attitude and to help put loyalty in its place.

That there was the closing speaker and he gave the same address as before. Mr. Nelson.

"Let us be peace workers?"

"I agree. I understand he makes the bed and washes the dishes at home."

## WOMEN CAN DO MUCH

Thrift-Stamp Sales Give Her Chance  
to do Two Bits for Her  
Country

Virtually every housewife in the Stevens Point community has the opportunity to contribute which is why many merchants and manufacturers have been successful in their efforts to sell their products. The more they sell, the more they pay for the stamps. The stamps are sold at a profit to the merchant and the manufacturer. The stamps are sold at a profit to the merchant and the manufacturer. The stamps are sold at a profit to the merchant and the manufacturer.

In addition to her home, Mrs. W. J. Jock, of Grand Rapids, R. 7, is a member of the Stevens Point chapter of the Red Cross. She has been successful in her efforts to sell stamps and has been successful in her efforts to sell stamps. She has been successful in her efforts to sell stamps and has been successful in her efforts to sell stamps.

### ON NEW SCHEDULE

Stevens Point swung into line on the daylight saving plan Sunday with little or no confusion and the new time schedule is now well established. What skepticism as to the wisdom of the change that may have prevailed at first has practically disappeared as the extra hour of daylight after six o'clock in the evening is recognized as worth saving. The change covers the entire country.

### PHILIPP SETS DATE

Elsewhere in this issue of The Gazette appears an article telling of the recommendation made to Gov. Philipp to call a meeting of potato interests of Wisconsin to discuss problems of the industry. The governor has designated April 4 as the date of the meeting, which will be conducted in the assembly chamber at Madison. Among those from this county who will attend is J. M. Coyner, county agricultural agent.

### RED CROSS BENEFIT

A number of Red Cross benefits have been held in the various school districts in the county during the past week. The first party was held in district No. 3 in the town of Carson. A box social, candy and ice cream sale was held to swell the Red Cross fund. Friday evening a similar social was held at the school house in the town of Amherst. The Misses Tillie Bannach and Clara Doxrode, county supervising teachers, gave patriotic talks. A short program followed. There will be a community gathering in district 7, Lanark, Friday evening. The proceeds of the benefit will go to the Red Cross.

### FIELD SECRETARY HERE

Miss Eileen Doherty, field secretary of the Red Cross, was in Stevens Point last week and on Thursday was present at a conference of heads of departments of the Portage County chapter at the library. She spoke in complimentary terms of the work the local chapter is doing and explained some of the new features of Red Cross work. While she was here a committee was appointed to further the work of organizing school auxiliaries. This committee consists of City Superintendent H. C. Snyder, County Superintendent L. A. Gordon, Miss Winifred Hamilton, W. C. Edwards of Rosholt, Miss Margaret Clifford, Miss Margaret Rodger, Principal Lentzner of Almond and Mrs. Ernest Hoffman.

### RETURN FROM THE EAST

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oberweiser returned home Tuesday morning from their eastern trip, which was of ten days' duration and included White Sulphur Spring, W. Va., Washington and New York. At Washington they were in the house of representatives during a spirited session when excitement over the German offensive was at its height. In New York Mr. Oberweiser had the opportunity of meeting John C. Spooner, former United States senator from Wisconsin and now engaged in the practice of law in the national metropolis. While in New York Mr. and Mrs. Oberweiser also enjoyed the company for a couple of days of Frank B. Shemanski, former accountant in the office of the Wing-Plow Paper Co., but who joined the navy last September. He is now a yeoman and is temporarily at an eastern port, where his ship is undergoing repairs. Mr. Shemanski is in excellent health and has good prospects in the navy.

### RAISE RECTOR'S SALARY

Congregation of Church of the Intercession Recognizes Services of Leader

The congregation of the Church of the Intercession, which is located in Stevens Point, has voted to raise the salary of its rector, Rev. J. H. Hays, from \$2,000 a year to \$2,500 a year. The vote was taken at a meeting of the congregation held on Monday evening, April 1, 1918. The rector has been in the church for several years and has been successful in his efforts to build up the congregation. The church is one of the largest in Stevens Point and has a fine building. The rector is a well known and respected member of the community.

## DEATH OF A PIONEER

Franklin A. Blood, Old Time Woodsman and Civil War Veteran,  
Passes Away

Franklin A. Blood, 70, of Portage county, Wis., died at his home in Stevens Point, Wis., last Thursday afternoon. He was a pioneer settler of the county and a Civil War veteran. He was born in Pennsylvania and came to Wisconsin in 1850. He was a member of the Stevens Point chapter of the Red Cross and was active in its work. He was a well known and respected member of the community.

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### STATE NEEDS HELP

Automobile License Inspectors form the latest addition to the list of semi-annual examinations to be held at county seats on April 26 by the Wisconsin Civil Service Commission of Madison. Other employees wanted by the state during the next few months, include about 80 attendants, (male and female), 20 prison clerks, 1 woman deputy to look after the welfare of women and children in industry, bakers, teachers, nurses, farmers and gardeners. Due to the scarcity of labor, the Civil Service Commission has found it advisable for the present, to limit the written examinations for a few of these positions, including prison clerk, farmer, cook and baker, and other positions where educational tests are of minor importance.

### HYER WOULD RESIGN

Prof. F. S. Hyer would resign as the man of the Portage County Red Cross chapter. Mr. Hyer, who has been at the head of the organization since it was formed a year ago, has served in that capacity with a devotion to himself, financially and otherwise. Although he is as anxious as ever to keep up the work of the organization, he feels that someone else should take his place. He has the same deep interest in the organization, he feels that someone else should take his place. He has the same deep interest in the organization, he feels that someone else should take his place.

### Where Ignorance Was Bliss

"Fate, I'm ashamed of you. I saw that young Frenchman kissing you repeatedly. Why didn't you tell him to stop?"

"How could I, mamma? You know, I can't speak French."

## AT GEORGIA CAMP

Gaylord Maddy, a Stevens Point boy who enlisted in the coast artillery a few weeks ago and was sent to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., is now at Fort Screven, Georgia, as is also another young man from this city, Emons Scherbert.

### SMUT CAMPAIGN PROGRESSES

The smut campaign inaugurated through the county superintendent of schools is now in full swing. Preliminary letters have been sent out to the teachers in the rural districts, giving an outline of the campaign. Letters are being sent to the teachers to distribute to their students to have the farmers sign, promising that he will treat his grain for smut. Prizes will be given to the boys and girls securing the most pledges. The campaign started the first of the week.

### IS GIVEN WRITUP

Miss Lucy Pliska of This City Given  
Complimentary Mention in  
Magazine

A recent number of the "Association News," of Chicago, official organ of the Poster Advertising association, contained a picture of Miss Lucy Pliska of Stevens Point, together with the following complimentary mention of her appearance at the recent annual meeting of the Wisconsin Poster Advertising association at Milwaukee:

"The convention of the Wisconsin Poster Advertising association was honored by the presence of Miss Lucy Pliska—the only member of the fair sex present at the recent meeting."

Miss Pliska came to the convention as the representative of Dr. J. M. Bischoff, owner and manager of the Stevens Point (Wis.) Poster Advertising Company. As stated elsewhere, Dr. Bischoff, who recently sold his dental practice at Stevens Point and went on an eastern tour, is now in the employ of the government, and is stationed in New York City. In his absence Miss Pliska has taken up the managerial duties at the Stevens Point plant and has made a remarkably good record in the conduct of the business in that thriving city. Miss Pliska was very heartily welcomed at the meeting and in a letter received by the Association News she expressed the interest she found in the proceedings and the value of the practical talks given there. The members were unanimous in their invitation to Miss Pliska to attend the future meetings of the association."

## QUALITY CLOTHES ARE IMPORTANT THESE DAYS



BUYING Coats and Suits now-a-days is serious business. There is a lot to be careful about in addition to just surface appearance. Fabrics should be pure wool—for the best service; tailoring should be of the very finest—to insure a garment against losing its shapeliness; the price should be what you can afford—and no more.

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SOLDIER DIES AT SEA

George Arnett of Marshfield, Member of Old Troop 1, Gives Up His Life

The first death among the hundred or more boys who went out of Stevens Point last July as Troop 1, First Wisconsin Cavalry, has been recorded.

George Arnett, one of the first to join the troop, died while crossing the Atlantic, according to official information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnett of Marshfield. The first message announcing the young man's death came from Adjutant General McGinn of Washington as follows:

"I deeply regret to inform you that it is officially reported that Private George Arnett died of nostalgia (homesickness) March 15."

Last Wednesday, said the Marshfield Herald, the following letter was received by Mrs. Arnett from Brig. Gen. Edward F. McGinn of the 57th Brigade, American Expeditionary Forces, France:

"It is with real sorrow that I write to express my sympathy with you for the death of your son, George. He died at sea on a ship different from the one on which I embarked, or I would have written you earlier. I knew your son better perhaps than most other men in the detachment because he was connected with the officers' mess. Although he never reached the front he died as much in the service of his country as will those whom we must inevitably lose."

Gen. McGinn's letter was dated March 8, commenting on which the Marshfield Herald said:

"The date of the death as given in the dispatch and the date of the letter is very conflicting, unless perhaps a mistake was made in the dispatch and it should have read February 15 instead of March 15, which no doubt is the case."

George Arnett was not yet twenty years of age, he having been born at Marshfield on April 25, 1898.

BUYS SOUTH SIDE HOME

Mrs. P. W. King of Abbotsford has bought the Ambrose house at 303 Dixon street and will move her family here within a few days. The house contains fifteen rooms and Mrs. King expects to rent several apartments to railroad men. She is a sister of F. J. Blood and made her home here continuously until going to Abbotsford a few years ago.

ANOTHER QUILTS TEACHING

Burton Ambrose, who graduated from the local Normal last June and had been principal of the Marathon City schools since early fall, resigned his position last week to accept a more lucrative one as chemist in the Dupont powder plant near Ashland. He has already begun his new duties. Burton is a son of John E. Ambrose, Soo line conductor but made his home since early childhood with his grandmother, the late Mrs. Barbara Ambrose.



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BUENA VISTA

Little Claire Martin has been ailing for some days, requiring the care of a physician.

Lowell Clark is driving a truck with which he carries cream for the Arnett Creamery.

The Easter program at the M. E. church was attended by a full house and elicited favorable comment.

Miss May Newby returned last week from Fond du Lac, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

The Rev. Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Carley on Thursday and at the home of Mrs. G. C. Springer on Friday.

Wm. Yokers, who several weeks ago underwent an operation at Fond du Lac for the removal of a growth on his head, is recovering finely at his home here.

M. deKost Crofoot, who has been visiting his brother, A. Crofoot and his sister, Mrs. Fannie Thorne, since he came here in January to bury his wife, left Monday for his home at Wagner, Mont.

Percy Newby has taken the job of hauling cream for the Buena Vista creamery and has purchased a truck for the work. He will move into a house owned by Chas. Newby, south-east of Keene.

James Roberts and wife, who are moving from Muskegon, Wis., to the M. Crofoot farm in South Plover, which they have purchased, spent several days with Mrs. Roberts' mother, Mrs. Fannie Thorne, while getting settled. They were accompanied here by Mr. Roberts' nephew and niece, Wm. E. Bright and sister, who visited a few days.

M. E. church services on Sunday, April 7: Plover—10:00, Sunday school; 11:00, preaching. Liberty Corners—11:00, Sunday school; 8:00, a union service for all those who care to come from the three appointments. We hope to have a union choir, composed of some singers from each point.

Cookins—2:30, a combination service, including Sunday school and preaching. This will be the first Sunday school session this spring. Be sure to come.

Mrs. Raymond Fletcher received a card on Monday from her husband saying he arrived safely over seas. She received the last letter from him written in the U. S. A. on March 13th. Mr. Fletcher went to Camp Grant last September. He had been there up to the first of March, when he was moved to Camp Merritt. N. J. Mr. Fletcher was transferred from Co. R, 5th infantry, to the 13th engineers, since Christmas, which change pleased him very much.

William Albert Baldwin was born in Plover, Dec. 15, 1850, and died at Liberty Corners, March 25, 1918, at 11:30 p. m., at the age of 67 years, 3 months and 11 days. He was a son of Westlake Baldwin, one of the pioneer settlers in Plover in the days before the civil war. The family just moved into the home of a son-in-law, George Holman, at Liberty Corners, last week. The deceased was married Oct. 8, 1882, to Miss Alice Van Skiver at Amherst. To them were born two boys and two girls. Surviving members of the family are Mrs. Geo. Holman of Buena Vista, William Baldwin of New York city, Mrs. Helen Hardest of Greeley, Colorado. One son died in infancy. He has four brothers living at a distance. One sister, Mrs. H. A. Holly of Waunaca, died in September, 1916. Mr. Baldwin had suffered with heart trouble for a number of years and for three or four weeks he had been severely ill. On Tuesday of last week he felt unusually well, and was about the house and garden all day. Retiring early, he was soon aroused by distress from his heart. His wife applied all the usual restoratives, but in vain, and at the time given above he passed away. In the immediate family he leaves his wife and a little grandson who has grown up in the family. The funeral was held from the home at 11:00 Friday morning, March 29, and from the school house at Lower Amherst at 1:30 p. m. with burial in the cemetery there. At the church service Paul Modeen, Miss Edith Modeen and Mrs. Geo. Van Buskirk, Jr., sang "It is Well With My Soul," "Beyond the Smiling and the Weeping," and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." The pallbearers were Wm. A. Clark, John A. Berry, I. E. Albertie and Lewis Preocourt of Liberty Corners, Elwood Smith of Stevens Point and Frank Clyder of Cary Corners. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mrs. Baldwin in her sorrow. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Geo. A. Tennant of Liberty Corners. Roy Holly, the Waunaca undertaker, and his brother Wm., who are nephews of the deceased, came up with their auto hearse and conducted the funeral.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES

Wanted—Boys to help Uncle Sam, by joining the U. S. boys' working reserve.

One hundred and sixteen books have been collected for the soldiers during the past two weeks. These will be prepared and sent to the American Library Association committee, to be forwarded to the army camps. While the people have responded generously to this worthy cause, everyone must keep on giving, and we must realize that our men will need books as long as the war lasts.

Some new war garden pams (early plants, the window box and the cold frame) have been sent to us by the state for distribution. Call and get one. We also have a new supply of war time recipes to give away.

Miss Irene Newman, a student in the Wisconsin library school, who has been doing field practice work in the library, left for her home in Madison Saturday.

Have you read the new book by Sidwick, "Salt of the Earth"? It is in the rent collection.

Father: "Helen, isn't it about time you were entertaining the prospect of matrimony?"

Daughter: "Not quite, pa. He doesn't call until eight o'clock."

BUSINESS MAN EXPIRES

August F. Behrendt, Local Grocer and Prominent Citizen, Receives Sudden Summons

Stricken with heart failure almost without warning as he was about to arise from his bed, August F. Behrendt, one of Stevens Point's leading merchants and prominent citizens, died at 7:40 o'clock last Thursday morning at his home, 431 Clark street.

Announcement of Mr. Behrendt's death was received with mingled surprise and sorrow by his numerous acquaintances. Although for a year or more he had not been in the best of health and was subject to slight attacks of heart trouble, there had been little to indicate that he was in any immediate danger. About six weeks ago he was stricken with bronchitis and was confined to his bed for two weeks and to his home for an equal length of time. After that he was up and around and was able to devote more or less time to his business affairs.

A week ago last Saturday afternoon he was outside, walking, about, but Sunday evening experienced his first severe attack of heart trouble. Wednesday evening, although weak, his general health seemed to be improved and there was no perceptible change the following morning, when he talked cheerfully to Mrs. Behrendt shortly before 7 o'clock. While Mrs. Behrendt was preparing breakfast he was seized with a severe coughing spell and in a few short minutes he had breathed his last.

Zechin, a town near Berlin, Germany, was the birthplace of August Frederick Behrendt, and August 2, 1850, the date of his birth. When he was three years of age he accompanied his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Behrendt, to this country. For two years thereafter the family home was at Woodland, Dodge county, and then at Elmwood, Price county, where Mr. Behrendt grew to young manhood. At 21 he came to Stevens Point and entered the employ of the Langenberg Brick Manufacturing Co.

The marriage of Mr. Behrendt and Miss Louise E. Strache took place in this city on November 4, 1886. A few years later Mr. Behrendt established a grocery and general store at the corner of Michigan avenue and Center street, which he conducted until 1903, when he went into the grocery business at 431 Clark street, which he continued up to the time of his death.

The sorrow with which the announcement of his death was received, reflects the esteem in which Mr. Behrendt was held by his acquaintances in the city and vicinity. He was an honorable citizen, devoted to his home and true to his friends, whose sympathy for the relatives left to mourn is of the most heartfelt character.

The members of Mr. Behrendt's immediate family who survive are his widow and two children, Miss Elsie Behrendt, at home, and Allen C. Behrendt, 312 Water street. He also leaves two brothers, Charles of Clinton, Minn., and Gustav H. of Minneapolis.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, where a short prayer was offered by Rev. R. J. McLandress of the Presbyterian church. The services at the grave in Forest cemetery were in charge of the Odd Fellows. E. A. Williams, superintendent of the Odd Fellows' Home at Green Bay, acted as chaplain.

The casket bearers, all members of the Odd Fellows' order, were C. W. Dittman, C. W. Simonson, Charles Blake, C. F. Thoms, C. Geisler and D. C. Whitney.

Those who attended the funeral from outside the city included Gustav H. Behrendt and son, Charles, of Minneapolis, Charles Behrendt of Clinton, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. August Oppert of Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Dever and Willis Langenberg of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haun of Ruby, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. George Langenberg of Medford and Mrs. Louis Beine and Mrs. George Burger of N. Fond du Lac.

Mr. Behrendt was an Odd Fellow for more than 25 years and was the proud possessor of an Odd Fellows' "veteran's jewel," signifying membership in the order of a quarter of a century.

NORMAL NOTES

The girls staying at Nelson Hall were guests of the Dean, Miss Bortha Hussey, Friday afternoon. The time was spent in sewing and light refreshments were served.

Pres. John F. Sim returned home Tuesday morning after a week's absence from school. Pres. Sims attended the Southeastern Nebraska Teachers' Association held at Beatrice, Nebraska, last Thursday and Friday. He spoke before that assemblage on two different subjects Thursday afternoon.

The temporary date of April 16, which is subject to change, has been set for giving the operetta, "A Nautical Yarn." Seventy-five people in all will take part. The chorus alone number 50. All the seats in the auditorium, where the musical will take place, will be reserved, the prices being 35 and 50 cents.

The Mauston High school was victorious in one of their debates with the Kilmour school last Thursday evening. The question debated was on government control of railroads, the negative side being upheld by representatives of the former school.

A unanimous decision was rendered in their favor. Profs. Delzell and Watson of the Normal were two of the judges.

The first call for track was given on Tuesday morning when a meeting was called. Many of the young men of the school responded. There are at present many athletes of high school experience and also men who have had intercollegiate competition in the local school. Training will take place at the fairgrounds when weather conditions permit. The inter-Normal track meet, in which all the Normal schools of the state will compete, will be held at Whitewater during the last week in May. According to all indications the local track team will show up well.

FARMERS ARE LOYAL

Resolution Pledging to Support the Government Passed at Mass Meeting Here

That the farmers of Portage county are for America first and will continue to do all in their power to bring the war to a successful conclusion, was demonstrated at the mass meeting held in the Armory in Stevens Point last Wednesday afternoon, when a loyalty resolution was passed by a unanimous vote of the two hundred or more farmers assembled.

O. A. Stolen of this city, secretary of the Farmers' Co-operative Packing Co. of Wausau, gave a stirring address prior to the adoption of the resolution. Mr. Stolen called upon the farmers to maintain their acreage in spite of the disappointments that attended the marketing of last year's potato crops, and appealed for their united support in other ways, particularly in the matter of government bond issues.

In emphasizing the need of a united America, Mr. Stolen touched upon the great struggle on the west front in Europe, which he said might change the destinies of the world. The principles of American government and even the American government itself are in danger, he declared, and it is the duty of every American farmer to do his share in overcoming that menace.

In developing his subject Mr. Stolen discussed cooperation among farmers, for their own protection and the protection of the consumer. He touched upon the wide difference in the price of farm products between the producer and consumer and suggested cooperation by farmers as a remedy. He made a strong plea for organized effort among the farmers.

In the evening another meeting was held at the Armory, when Dist. Attorney J. R. Piffner, county Librarian Loan chairman, gave an address on the third Liberty Loan campaign. Which opens April 6. County Supt. J. A. Gordon gave a loyalty address and H. G. Tank of the American Co-operative Association talked on cooperation. J. N. Tittmore of Omro, representing the American Society of Equity, was the principal speaker of the evening, also along the lines of cooperation and loyalty. O. A. Stolen gave a brief talk at the close of the program.

OUR MARKETS

Grain and feed quotations are given us by telephone every Wednesday noon, by the Jackson Milling Co. Frank Jerzak furnishes prices on meats, butter, eggs, etc. Krems Hardware Co., prices on hay, and Alois Firkus on potatoes. Farmers and buyers can depend on them.

Rosebud	.....	\$11.30
Graham Flour	.....	10.50
Rye Flour	.....	15.50
Barley Flour	.....	13.20
Wheat	.....	2.10-2.15
Rye, 56 pounds	.....	2.70
Oats	.....	.90
Wheat middling	.....	1.96
Corn Meal	.....	3.55
Feed	.....	3.55
Brans	.....	1.86
Butter, dairy	.....	37-42
Butter, creamery	.....	47
Eggs	.....	28-35
Roosters, dressed	.....	25-30
Roosters, alive	.....	20
Lard	.....	27-37
Hams	.....	27-35
Mess pork	.....	50.00
Mess Beef	.....	34-35
Hogs, live	.....	15.00-17.00
Hogs, dressed	.....	20.00-21.00
Beef, live	.....	\$5.00-\$8.00
Beef, dressed	.....	12.00-15.00
Hay, timothy	.....	20.00
Hay, marsh	.....	10.00-12.00
Potatoes, white stock	.....	.60

Here is a Real Task

The ancients who remarked upon the difficulty of making bricks without straw had little or nothing on the 1918 mother who is trying to make bread without flour.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

NEW ROAD SURE THING

Town of Plover Votes to Build 15-Foot Concrete Highway to Paper Mills

The voters of the town of Plover, at the annual town meeting held Tuesday afternoon, unanimously voted in favor of the construction of a 15-foot concrete road from the city limits at the south end of Whiting avenue, down along the Wisconsin river to the mills of the Wisconsin River Paper & Pulp Co. and the Whiting-Plover Paper Co.

It was a doublebarreled victory for those who had been working for the project, for the vote not only set at rest all doubt that the road would be built, but increased the width of the road to conform to that which the city will construct on Seth street and Whiting avenue. A year ago the town voted in favor of a 9-foot concrete road with 3-foot macadam shoulders. When the bids were opened several weeks ago the prices were considered somewhat high and as a result considerable opposition developed. Steps were taken to put off the improvement indefinitely, but in the meantime, last week, the town board executed a contract with the Murphy Construction Co. of Manitowoc. This provided for the construction of the 9-foot road, but the board reserved the right to change this to a 15-foot road if the electors so authorized them.

At the meeting Tuesday but one resolution was introduced—that providing for a 15-foot road—and it was passed without a dissenting vote. The new contract will be executed at once and the Murphy Construction Co., which also has the city's contract, will begin work on or before May 1.

The voters of the town of Plover have taken the right attitude, in the opinion of all familiar with the situation. They are fortunate in having in the town the two largest manufacturing institutions of the county, which pay thousands of dollars in income and real estate taxes into the town treasury annually. Talk of the incorporation of a village to embrace the two paper mills and River Pines has now disappeared and there is general satisfaction over the decision to build a new road at once.

Besides voting to build a 15-foot

road, the town instructed the town board to use \$10,000 or more of the tax receipts for 1917, practically all of which is from income taxes paid by the two paper mills, to apply on the 1918 taxes. The contract price for the new road is \$23,214.09.

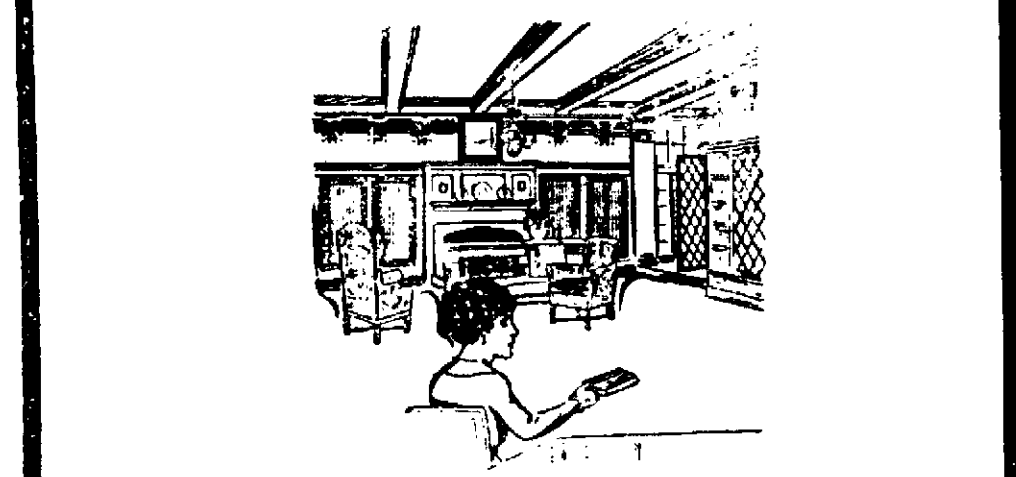
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